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USE HOME GROWN

SEED CORN CAN BEST BE SELECTED WITHOUT SENDING OFF.

SAVE WIFE'S TEMPER

Make Home Pleasant For the Chickens and Reap a Reward in Unscratched Flower Beds.

Tonight's Program.

7:30 p. m.—Lecture. History of Agriculture—J. C. Whitten of the state university. The lecture will be given at the court house.

Tomorrow's Program.

9-11 a. m., at Normal—Lecture: The Marketing of Eggs and General Care of Poultry—Mr. Kempster.

11-12—Lecture: Some Horse Feeding Problems—Mr. Trowbridge. This lecture will take up the essentials in the nutrition of the horse; possible economy in feeding; recent experimental work discussed.

1-2 p. m.—Dr. J. C. Whitten will talk on small fruit raising, followed by a talk by Mr. Kempster.

2-4 p. m.—Demonstration: Judging Horses—Mr. Trowbridge. A study of type and conformation in draft and light horses; market classes and grades of horses discussed.

Another large class was on hand to hear Mr. Douglass' discussion of the corn question at the beginning of Thursday morning's session at 9 o'clock. The instructor gave most of the hour to pointers on the selection of seed corn.

Mr. Douglass does not approve of the farmer sending away for his seed corn.

"Select it from your own yield," he says. "But in case you do send out of your own vicinity do not get too far from home," are Mr. Douglass' instructions. He says not to send farther east than Illinois, and that in getting seed even a hundred miles north or south of your locality you are liable to get corn that cannot mature in the given time, or if it comes from the north it will be of a smaller variety. Mr. Douglass illustrated a part of his lecture with lantern slides.

On Poultry Raising.

A genial young man who looks almost too young to be called professor, but who has that title down at the university, and whose name is Mr. H. L. Kempster, gave one of the most interesting lectures that has been heard at the short course this week. The subject was poultry raising, and the fine points of the game were laid down with the assurance of the man who knows.

The period this morning was given up to the proper housing of the chickens and great stress was laid on the location of the chicken house. Mr. Kempster relates that he was not always as fond of chickens as he is now, but as a boy he used to hate the sight of them, but as they were necessary to the home he tolerated them, and finally became interested in them.

"The only way to keep the chickens where you want them," said Mr. Kempster, "is to make their home pleasant for them and feed them there. This will save the house wife's temper by eliminating her raid on them at regular intervals to 'shoo' them off the back porch. It will also be the preservation of the flower beds.

"Did you every get angry at the chickens for scratching up the flower beds?" asked Mr. Kempster of one lady.

"No," was the reply, "but I have at my husband."

The lecture was suspended for a few moments.

The emphasis of the whole talk was laid on the provision of a good house for the fowls, not necessarily an expensive or an elaborate one, but one which is properly constructed. For absolute plans the people were referred to bulletin 107 of the state university.

Professor Douglass spoke on "Seed corn" before the noon hour, and stated methods of storing and testing seed corn. His talk was illustrated with lantern slides of the prize corn at the state corn show held in Columbia.

Mr. Allison spoke after noon on "Feeding Hogs for Market." It was a study of the relative value of rotations for growing and fattening swine. Many lantern slides were used during his talk, and in them he showed a number of the prize winners at the International show at Chicago. One slide was a picture of Diamond Goods, C. D. Bellows' herd bull, who won many prizes at Chicago.

This afternoon stock judging is taken up at the Gray pavilion. Omar Catterson's fine Aberdeen-Angus cattle are being judged.

POULTRY PROBLEMS.

Professor Kempster is to Appear on the Program Friday.

Pofessor Kempster, the poultry authority will talk Friday morning on "The Marketing of Eggs and the General Care of Poultry." Mr. Kempster says there is one million dollars worth of eggs lost yearly in Missouri, the greater part of which loss is due to carelessness. The lecture will cover the poultry question generally. The chief needs of the people who are engaged in this industry will be considered, and wherever it is possible remedies will be suggested. The lectures are live and of great interest and should be attended by every student of the course.

With the Short Coursers.

Prof. H. O. Allison, who has been in charge of the short course here, was called to Columbia this afternoon on account of sickness in his family.

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T. R. Douglass of the University of Missouri, who has been here since the opening of the course, will return to Columbia tonight.

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Some of the seed corn of M. C. Thompson was used for the corn selection class Thursday morning.

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Several women were in the class Thursday morning to get some pointers on poultry raising.

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There will be a change in Friday's program. As Mr. Douglass and Mr. Allison are to return to Columbia this evening their places on the program for tomorrow will be taken by Prof. Kempster and Dr. J. C. Whitten.

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Dr. J. C. Whitten, head of the horticultural department of the state university, will arrive in the city this evening on the Wabash train from Columbia. He is to give the last of the night lectures at the court house at 7:30 o'clock this evening. An effort will be made to get Dr. Whitten to remain over in the city for Friday, and

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KEEP BIDDY BUSY

IT IS THE ONLY WAY TO MAKE THE MISSOURI HEN HAPPY.

WILL MAKE YOU RICK

Missouri Gets $50,000,000 a Year From Her Poultry—A Great Speech Last Night.

"A good thoroughbred hen is never so happy as when she is busy. Give her proper food, something to work at all the time, a good scratching place, and a good quiet place to lay her eggs, and she will never be cross or say one word until she delivers the goods."—Director Quisenberry.

Chickens are not just chickens, as we always thought. But they are real fine live stock, and are to be classed alongside of Shorthorn, Aberdeen Angus and Jersey cattle and Poland-China hogs, and are as aristocratic in pedigree, and what is better, are in the reach of everybody who has an extra space of ground as big as twenty feet in their garden or back yard. And that amount of room will enable any one who has the proper amount of gumption to raise all the poultry and eggs necessary for an ordinary family.

The illustrated lecture Wednesday night at the court house by Director Quisenberry of the Missouri poultry experiment station at Mountain Grove, Mo., was largely attended and his talk was fully appreciated by the poultry raisers present, and gave an insight to the bigness and possibilities of the business to those unfamiliar with poultry raising.

Director Quisenberry is surprised and more than pleased with the interest taken in the short course in agricultural pursuits at the Northwest Normal, and said he found things on a much larger scale up here than he had anticipated.

"The devil himself can't keep the farmer down if you keep this thing up," he said.

He had wanted to visit Maryville for a long time, for a great number of reasons, the principal one being the fact that he had been helped more by Senator Craig than anyone else in getting the legislature to take up the matter of pure bred poultry for Missouri by maintaining an experiment station. He said he was not opposed to scrub poultry; that he would rather that kind would be raised than none at all, but when it was known that so much better results could be secured in raising good poultry making easier and better money for the breeder, he believed the people would cull out every particle of inferior stock and set themselves to raising the best.

Missouri is now the leading poultry and egg state in the country. The Missouri hen yielded $50,000,000 for her raisers last year, more than double the price of Missouri's wheat crop. There is no reason why this amount could not be doubled, he said, with the right knowledge and care on the part of breeders.

To get a start in poultry raising is

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DATES NEXT WEEK

PRELIMINARY CONTESTS FRIDAY AND SATURDAY.

COUNTY CONTEST FEB. 28

Spelling Contest to Find the Champion of the County, Who Will Compete in the State Contest.

The preliminary spelling contests will be held in the different townships in the county prior to the county spelling contest, which will be held in Maryville, in the high school auditorium, February 28. The written contest will be held on that day between 4 and 5:30 p. m. The oral contest will be held in the evening, beginning at 7:30.

In each of these contests three medals will be given. The first prize will be a gold medal, the second will be a silver medal and the third will be a bronze medal.

The champion speller of the county will be a delegate to the state spelling contest to be held in Jefferson City. The champion prize in the state contest will be $100, the second $50 and the third $25.

Below are the dates and places for the preliminary contests to be held in the different townships. Teachers should note the time of these meetings carefully so as to have the pupils present at the designated hour. They are as follows:

Independence—Gaynor school, February 21, 1 p. m.

Hopkins—Hopkins high school, February 15, 2 p. m.

Atchison—Clearmont high school, February 15, 1:30 p. m.

Lincoln—Elmo high school, February 21, 2 p. m.

Nodaway—Burlington Junction high school, February 22, 10 a. m.

Union—Pickering high school, February 15, 10 a. m.

Jackson—Ravenwood high school, February 22, 1:30 p. m.

North Polk—Circuit court room, February 22, 1 p. m.

Green—Quitman high school, February 21, 10 a. m.

Monroe—Skidmore high school, February 22, 10 a. m.

South Polk—Circuit court room, February 22, 2 p. m.

Jefferson—Clyde hall, February 22, 1:30 p. m.

Washington—Guilford school, February 22, 1:30 p. m.

Grant—Barnard high school, February 22, 2 p. m.

White Cloud—Davis school, February 21, 1:30 p. m.

Hughes—Graham high school, February 21, 10:30 a. m.

Craig's Bill Defeated.

Jefferson City, Feb. 13.—Women in the rural districts of Missouri will not be able to sit on school boards for at least two years to come. Senator Craig's bill, which conferred this right on women in the rural districts, was defeated on reconsideration in the senate last night by a vote of 16 to 12.

LOST—Brass cap off of wheel of fire wagon. Finder will please return to city hall or Real Estate bank. 13-tf

REBECCA VANSTAVOREN DEAD.

Passed Away at Shirleysburg, Pa., on February 2—Was a Former Resident of Maryville.

The following obituary was received by The Democrat-Forum of the death of Miss Rebecca VanStavoren at Shirleysburg, Pa., who was a former resident of this city:

Rebecca VanStavoren was born in Delaware, July 4th, 1830. With her parents she endured the hardships of pioneer life in Indiana and Illinois. In 1867 the family moved to Maryville, Mo., where the deceased lived for forty-three years. Two years ago she removed to Shirleysburg, Pa., to make her home with her nephew and niece, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Colgate. Here she quietly fell asleep on Sabbath evening, Feb. 2, at the ripe age of 82 years.

Miss VanStavoren was a faithful member of the Presbyterian church of Maryville. She was a life-long student of the Bible. She read and re-read the sermons of Moody and Spurgeon and kept up with current religious literature.

Many of the older residents of Maryville will remember her fondness for flowers, her constant care for dumb, helpless creatures, and her faithful ministrations in times of sickness or distress.

11 SEEK FREEDOM

NEXT TERM OF COURT WILL HEAR MARITAL WOES.

MAY HAVE GRAND JURY

Docket For February Term, Which Convenes Monday, is Not Heavy, With Few Important Cases.

The February term of circuit court will convene Monday with Judge W. C. Ellison on the bench. This term of court will not be an unusually long one, and there are only a few important or sensational cases to be tried.

It is thought that a grand jury will be summoned by the court during the term to find if there are any violations of the gaming or local option laws in the county.

The parole docket will be taken up the first day of court and there are twenty-two of these cases.

The equity docket will come up also on the first day and there are forty-three of these cases.

The trial docket will come up on Wednesday, February 19, and there are 142 of these cases, mostly all of them being tax bill and paving bill cases.

The criminal docket is set for Friday, February 28, and there will be twenty-five of these cases.

At this term of court some of the important cases are:

Laura Price and J. G. Price against the city of Maryville for $2,500 damages each; the breach of promise case of Grace Fulks vs. John E. Courter for $5,000; the will contest suit of John A. Hogan et al. vs. Peter Mergen et al.; the will contest suit of Joseph T. B. Johnson vs. Rosetta Sawyer et al.; Edna Irvine of Burlington Junction, charged with carrying concealed weapons and with assault with intent to kill; James Lane, charged with assault with intent to kill; Charles Robinett, charged with carnal knowledge; Millard Lash, charged with carnal knowledge; Dr. J. E. Neeley, charged with bigamy.

There are eleven divorce cases that will come up at this term of court.

Marriage Licenses.

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Letters From Other States Asking Information Shows Widespread Interest Taken in Movement.

Cape Girardeau was the second county in the state to hire a county advisor. C. M. McWilliams was selected as their advisor and the following article written by him on how the work was started and how carried on in that county, will be of interest at this time since Nodaway county is considering the proposition of hiring a county advisor:

In June, 1912, a number of the most progressive citizens of Cape Girardeau county learned that by co-operating with the Missouri state college of agriculture, it was possible to obtain for their county the services of a man trained in agriculture and that the state would pay one fourth of the salary of $2,000, or $500, these men saw the advantages of the proposition at once. Petitions were circulated among the residents of the county and sixteen of every seventeen men approached signed them. A mass meeting was advertised to be held at the county court house and an enthusiastic crowd was present and the petitions were presented to the court. The judges were impressed and a three year contract was made with the college. By the terms of this contract to furnish a man and pay one-fourth of his salary; the county to provide an office, office expenses and the remainder of the salary. That is how proposition was started and handled.

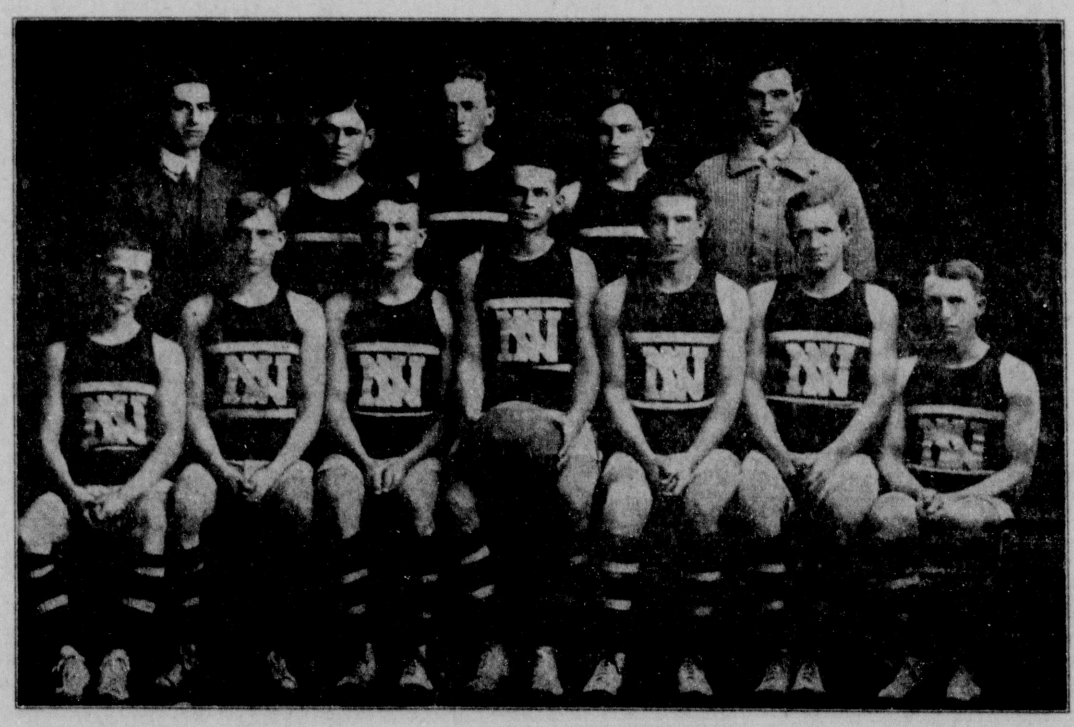
The position was filled August 1, and one of the first things that attracted attention was the ravages of hog cholera. Hogs were dying like flies and little was being done to check the disease. With the assistance of the veterinary department of the college, in ninety days 2100 head were vaccinated with uniformly good results. The average number owned on each farm was twenty. No charge whatever was made for administering the serum; at the lowest calculation $11,500 was saved to the county. Information in regard to the disease was scattered and its progress checked.

Numbers of meetings have been held in all parts of the county. The college of agriculture, the state board of agriculture and the railroads have at various times furnished speakers on timely subjects. These meetings have all been practical, in other words "heart to heart" talks with the farmers. The boys have not been neglected for they have had corn judging contests, corn growing contests, and stock judging contests. Four of these boys won short course scholarships at the state agricultural college.

In carrying out the work here two days each week have been used, one office days. This is generally known throughout the county. Consequent anyone desiring to consult the county man personally may do so. Hundreds of them have. Four days each week are used as field days and for special work that may at any time come up. The Cape Girardeau county farm contains 300 acres and the cropping system is under the direction of the county man. In addition to this the newspaper phase of the work is important. It furnishes a means of reaching the people. Both local and state papers are always glad to give space in their columns to any article pertaining to the agricultural interests. Because of the papers our work is not only known locally, but abroad. It is no uncommon thing to receive letters from Oklahoma, Illinois, Kansas and Nebraska asking for information and what they could do to bring about like results.

As yet our county organization has not been perfected but plans are now under way. The idea is to divide the county into suitable districts, probably twenty-four (our county contains 575 square miles), the people of these districts will organize and elect one of their number president of each local organization. These presidents will in turn become members of a county farm bureau which will meet at stated intervals. Meetings will also be held locally with local men and other available speakers on the program. Bulletins on this count, its crops and conditions will be issued and there seems to be little doubt but that a substantial sum will be available to be used as premiums for the largest yields of grains and other farm produce of the county.

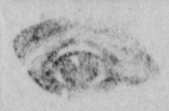
THE NORTHWEST NORMAL BASKET BALL TEAM



Personnel of team—Standing, from left to right, Coach V. I. Moore, Lamar, Strader, Woodward, Anderson, manager. Sitting, left to right, Taylor, Seymour, Perrin, Vandersloot, captain; Quinn, Daise, McClintoch.

The Northwest Normal basket ball team is in the midst of a successful season. Coach Moore's men have won six and lost three of the nine games with outside teams, beside having won the city championship in the nine-game tournament recently ended. The teachers won all nine games. Friday night they will play St. Joseph Central high school at the Normal gymnasium.

Do You Wear Glasses?



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We are authorized to announce
FRANK BOLIN
as a candidate for the nomination for Township Collector subject to the action of the Democratic nominating convention.

White Cloud Township.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for tax collector of White Cloud township, subject to the decision of the Democratic township nominating convention. S. B. WILLIAMS.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for tax collector of White Cloud township, subject to the decision of the Democratic township nominating convention. RUFUS CAREY.

BANQUET WELL ATTENDED.

Men's Club of the Presbyterian Church Held an Enjoyable Meeting on Tuesday Evening.

The banquets by the Men's club of the First Presbyterian church are getting better and better. The one held Tuesday evening in the church parlors, the regular place, was probably the most helpful gathering the club has yet held. The Dietz sisters furnished the music for the occasion. Two toasts were responded to, the first on "Why Should Men Attend Church," by Mr. C. E. Wells, and the other by Rev. S. D. Harkness on "How You Men May Help the Sunday Evening Worship." Both toasts were informally discussed by all in attendance. Those present were: Rev. Harkness, John Aley, Emery Airy, H. G. Barton, Dean G. H. Colbert, Roy Curfman, Prof. J. E. Cameron, George Demott, L. O. Goble, D. E. Hotchkin, Hal Hooker, Lieber Holmes, Fred Jamison, Shepherd and Paul Lefler, Fred Lewis, Dr. F. M. Martin, John D. Richey, W. B. Scott, W. G. Sawyers, Charles Wadley, C. E. Wells.

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not an expensive business. All that is required for chickens to thrive and lay is to furnish them with comfortable quarters, windows properly placed for ventilation, movable roosting places that can be taken down and whitewashed and disinfected, plenty of room to scratch grit, greens and grain to eat, "and then use your gumption."

He prefers crushed limestone to anything else for grit, but says oyster shells are good. He warned against using Heneta and some other advertised grits for the feed. Nothing could better take the place of cracked corn and wheat for chickens. He is not in favor of the use of oats, owing to the husk that encloses the seed. He had known chickens to die from eating them, and their craws were found full of holes made by the oat husks.

Many illustrations were used by the speaker to show the difference in the breeds and the difference in chickens of the same breed showing how to judge each and how to cull from a flock all inferior birds. The best birds had big, deep bodies, combs set on in such a way as to give the beak a short effect, betokening high vitality. These were the thoroughbreds and the money makers. He believes in culling from the time of hatching. Put the bright-eyed little chicks in your breeding pen, but cull sleepy looking ones.

The picture of two White Plymouth Rock hens were shown. One had used the food given to such good purpose that she laid 281 eggs in one year, making the highest individual record at the experiment station. She was clean, white and looked her breeding, but her feathers were ruffled and she was tired looking, and one could not help but think she had worked too hard and had been too good a mother. Her sister stood beside her, a perfectly charming little creature, so fresh and cute looking, head erect, her feathers beautifully white and glistening and laying just so on her round little body. She had used the care and food she had received for fine clothes and paraded around in her pretty dress and softly cooed and sung to herself and got off with laying fifty eggs, perfectly satisfied with herself. How very human-like that is, we thought.

Other beautiful pictures were shown of individual birds, hens and cockerels, the pen of Rhode Island Reds that won in a laying contest, handsome Barred Rocks and other Rocks and Orpingtons, and so on, and they are aristocrats, every one of them, actually reminding you of your own aristocratic ancestors and making you feel like you ought to sit up and look your best in order to give them your most respectful attention. One couldn't help but see that breeding will tell everywhere, among chickens or people, and those thoughtless young people over in the corner of the room that were having so much fun that those around them couldn't hear what the speaker was saying—well, they just forgot to show their good breeding, is all.

This is not much of a report of Mr. Quisenberry's lecture, as you no doubt have noticed. The principal reason is that we do not know enough about chickens to have a telling knowledge of what he said, but we will next time, for we have made up our mind to try some of the things he said. You can make a frame for a chicken house and cover it with cloth or muslin or anything that will be a protection from unfavorable weather in warm weather, but you must make it warm for winter. Partition off your chicken yard and spade up one side nine and deep and sow some kind of grain in it. When it comes up and gets a good stand turn the chickens in and then spade up the other side and treat it the same way, and keep right on doing that way. The result will be a surprise to you. A dry goods box will make a good home for a mother and her chicks. Feed them sour milk or buttermilk every day along with other care you give, and give it to your laying hens, too, and you will increase their laying qualities greatly.

In short, Mr. Quisenberry showed that the poultry industry will have to take the place of the shortage in the meat product caused by the settling up of cattle lands in the west, that made a reduction of 600,000,000 pounds in six months in the last year.

The year's final results in the national egg laying contest at the state poultry experimental station at Mountain Grove shows Rose Comb Reds led with 1,042 eggs credited to five hens. White Wyandottes are second, S. C. Leghorns third, and Barred Plymouth Rocks fourth, and the leading hen, a White Plymouth Rock, lays 281 marketable eggs in twelve months. The contest closed October 31, 1912.

PREPARING A PROGRAM.

One for the Northwest Missouri Teachers' Association to Be Held in This City April 24-25.

Mrs. Cora Early, county superintendent of Worth county, and president of the Northwest Missouri Teachers' association, is in Maryville today preparing a program for the annual meeting of the association to be held in this city April 24 and 25, at the Normal. The association meeting comes at the same time as the annual track meet and declamatory contest at the Normal. The program will not be announced for a month or so.

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5c cans Domestic Sardines for	3c
Fat young Chickens, 1½ to 2½ lbs. per lb	15c
Quart bottles pure Cider Table Vinegar	10c
1 gallon Apple Vinegar	20c
50 lbs solid Cabbage for	75c
White Ribbon Lard Compound, 3-lb pail, 29c; 5-lb pail, 47c; 50-lb can for	$4.00
Rex Pure Lard, 3-lb pail, 42c; 5-lb pail, 67c; 10-lb pail, $1.25; 60-lb tub	$7.00
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1-lb tall cans Red Salmon, 2 for	25c
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Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Woodburn and son went to Pickering Wednesday to visit Mr. Woodburn's sister, Mrs. John Grimmitt, a few days.

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25c can K. C. Baking Powder	20c
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10c pkg. Mince Meat, very best, 2 for	15c
3 lbs. Evaporated Apples	25c
Gold Leaf Flour, sack **$1.10**, cwt.	$2.15
Gilt Edge Flour, sack **$1.15**, cwt	$2.25

Every sack guaranteed or money refunded.

Dish Sale, values **15c, 25c, 35c, 40c**

Choice 10c Sale starts 9 a. m. Friday and lasts until 10 p. m. Saturday.

We sell for Cash or Produce and pay the Highest Market Price for Produce.

Childress Department Store

NORTH SIDE

City License Tax

Ordinance No. 440 requires of every Insurance Company and Agent before they are permitted to do business in the City, they must pay a license for such privilege. Agents take notice and get your receipt at once.

J. G. GREMS
City Collector

JACOB BAUGHER IS DEAD.

Well Known Farmer, Living Southeast of Skidmore, Died Thursday.—Funeral Saturday at 10 o'Clock.

Jacob Baugher, a brother-in-law of James F. Cook of this city, died at his home, six miles southeast of Skidmore, Thursday noon, after an illness of several weeks. His death had been expected for several days. Mr. Baugher was about 65 years old and is survived by his wife, three daughters and a son.

The funeral services will be held Saturday morning at 10 o'clock at the family residence. Burial will take place in Grove cemetery.

CALLED TO KENTUCKY.

Rev. Randolph Left Sunday Night on Account of Sister's Death.

Rev. J. D. Randolph of the Buchanan Street Methodist church is expected home Friday night from Corydon, Ky., where he went last Sunday night to attend the funeral of his sister, Mrs. U. G. Foote, who died Sunday morning at 3 o'clock at her home, in Louisville, Ky. The funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon in Corydon, Mrs. Foote's native place, and the burial took place there.

Mrs. Foote had been ill for some time of her death was not unexpected. She is survived by her husband, Rev. Dr. U. G. Foote, pastor of the Chapel Methodist church, South, of Louisville, formerly pastor of the Francis Street Methodist church, South, of St. Joseph, and five children, between the ages of 14 and 2 years. Mrs. Foote was about 40 years old. Rev. Randolph is her only brother, and two sisters lived at Corydon.

Dr. Foote will be well remembered by Maryville people, as he visited Maryville a number of times during his pastorate in St. Joseph and delivered the class address at the Northwest Normal commencement three years ago. On that occasion Mrs. Foote accompanied him to Maryville and they were guests of Dr. and Mrs. H. K. Taylor.

COUNTY UNIT BILL PASSES.

A Two-to-One Vote in the House For the "Dry" Measure.

Jefferson City, Feb. 13.—The county unit local option bill, which may make all of Missouri dry outside of Kansas City, St. Joseph and St. Louis, passed the house yesterday morning by a vote of 90 to 45. It was the biggest victory the anti-liquor men have won in the legislature and they applauded wildly as the result of the vote was announced. The demonstration lasted several minutes.

Little of the excitement that marked the first battle of the "wets" and "drys" last week attended the vote this morning. The bill had been set for special order at 11 o'clock. C. M. Hay of Callaway, the dry leader, called the bill up and made a short appeal for its passage.

On the emergency clause, putting the bill into effect at once, the drys lost. It requires a two-thirds vote, or ninety-six affirmative votes. The drys fell six votes short of this. The bill, if it passes the senate, now will go into effect ninety days after the adjournment of the legislature.

The final passage of the county unit bill by the house now will transfer the wet and dry fight to the senate.

Millionaire Signs Bond of Morrin.

St. Louis, Feb. 13.—Frederick D. Gardner, a St. Louis millionaire, who signed the bond of J. H. Barry, convicted of conspiracy in the alleged McNamara dynamite plot and released from the federal prison at Leavenworth, signed the bond of Paul J. Morrin, another alleged conspirator. Morrin's bond is for $30,000.

Referee Appointed in Star Case.

Jefferson City, Mo., Feb. 13.—The state supreme court appointed Judge Henry C. Timmonds of Kansas City commissioner to take testimony in the contempt proceedings against William D. Nelson, editor and owner of the Kansas City Star. The commissioner is ordered to report within twenty days.

Bill Prevents Party Fusion.

Jefferson City, Feb. 13.—The anti fusion bill, providing that a candidate's name may appear on only one party's ticket, was sent to engrossment by the house. C. M. Hay of Callaway county and J. P. Boyd of Monroe county fought it from start to finish, but lost.

Captain John Bridgewater Is Dead.

Fayetteville Mo., Feb. 13.—Captain John Bridgewater, a veteran of the civil war, died at his home here of paralysis.

Special Excursion Rates via Wabash.

To Washington, D. C., and return, $38.90; account presidential inauguration ceremonies, March 4, 1913. Tickets on sale February 27, 28, Mar. 1 and 2; final return limit Mar. 10th. Let us provide for your ticket and Pullman reservation.

E. L. FERRITOR, Wabash Agt.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Swinford and children returned to Pickering Wednesday from a visit with Mrs. Swinford's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wilson.

USE HOME GROWN

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if he will he will appear on the program at the short course class on that day.

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Prof. E. A. Trowbridge of the state college at Columbia will arrive in the city Friday morning and is to appear on the program for that day. Mr. Trowbridge is well known to the short coursers here as he was in attendance at the one last year.

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The short course is to close Friday with the banquet in the evening at 6:30 o'clock in the basement of the First M. E. church. While the course has been very successful this year, still not as much so as was hoped for, as the attendance has been only fair, considering the large enrollment. The interest taken by those present was good, but the classes have not been as well attended as those given last year. Efforts are to be made to make the short course week a permanent feature here, and work will start along that line today and Friday.

BASKET BALL BANQUET.

All-Maryville and Second Team Were Selected at Dinner.

All-Maryville Team.

Forwards — Vandersloot (Normal), Eek (Pirates).

Center—Perrin (Normal), Hoffman (Pirates).

Guards—McClintoch (Normal), Seymour (Normal).

Second Team.

Forwards—Daise (Normal), Leech (high school).

Center—Thompson (high school).

Guards—Taylor (Normal), Wilson (high school).

At the basket ball banquet held Wednesday night at the Christian church, the above teams were picked as first and second All-Maryville teams.

For center on the first team, four ballots were taken, all of which resulted in ten votes each for Hoffman and Perrin. After the fourth ballot it was decided that both men should be given the center position.

Prof. L. M. Eek acted as toastmaster, and he had a fine string of stories on tap. V. I. Moore read a financial statement of the city league which showed that the city tournament which terminated recently was a financial success.

Teams from the Normal, high school, Business college and the Pirates made up the league.

TO SUBMIT PLANS.

Engineer Phillips to Make Out a Report and Figures on What Improvement is Necessary.

At the conference on Wednesday between the board of public works and Hiram Phillips, an engineer of St. Louis, Mr. Phillips is to submit to the board the plans of improvement and what machinery is necessary in the water plant, and also about a water tower. The plan will be sent to the board, who will take the matter up with the city council, who will have to ratify the proposition before it is carried out.

The board intends to start soon on the work of improving the plant.

To Cure Cold in One Day

Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25c.—Adv.

Fancy Work

We have just opened up a new shipment of

PILLOW TUBING,
CUSHION TOPS,
GUEST TOWELS, ETC.

These are all new, and we would be glad to show you the different patterns.

HOTCHKIN'S Variety Store

SEEDCORN

I am filling orders for Boone County White and Reid's Yellow Dent seed corn now. I have the good corn and a long list of winnings for this fall and winter. Price $2.25 and $2.50 per bushel. Order now. Don't wait.

M. C. THOMPSON,
One mile north of the K. C. Depot.
Farmers phone 3-11.

This is the Way they Come Out of the

OLD TRUSTY

Strong, Healthy and Hungry.

This is the incubator that batches 85 per cent of the fertile eggs. We carry in stock the 100, 150 and 200 egg sizes, also the brooders. You can get them from our store set up and in perfect condition, ready for setting, at factory prices and take no risk of their being broken.

SUNNY MONDAY

This is what you may have if you use the Sunshine Rotary Washer. Call and let us tell you why.

Galvanized Tubs, Boilers, Wringers and Ironing Boards. Mrs. Potts Nickel Plated Sad Irons at 75c per set.

We want your hardware business and will endeavor OUR VERY BEST to merit it.

H. C. BOWER, West Side Hardware

The Latest in Spring Styles

Wilson Bros. Shirts

We anticipated an early spring demand of the latest designs and styles in Wilson Bros.' Shirts. They have arrived and you can select from this fine assortment any one you wish for..... **$1.00**
This is an exceptional value.

The "SILVER" BRAND OF SHIRTS are selling at a bargain. Your choice..... **75c**

For a good substantial make of Shirt you cannot beat the "E" Brand, which we are selling for a few days at, each..... **50c**

H. & I. and Silver Brand of Linen Collars, which sell the world over, 2 for 25c, we will sell to fit any shirt at **10c** each during the Special Sale only.

NUSBAUM'S

Outfitters for Men and Young Men.

CLOSING OUT SALE

As we are to dissolve partnership, we will sell at the Pat Gorman farm 6 miles east and 4½ miles north of Maryville, and 9 miles southwest of Parnell, and 8 miles northwest of Ravenwood, on

Thursday, February 20

The following property:

25 HEAD OF HORSES, MARES AND MULES—2 horses coming 5 years old, 10 head of horses and mares coming 4 years old, 5 head of horses and mares coming 3 years old, 6 yearling colts and 1 weanling colt, 1 mule coming 5 years old. These horses and mares are all draft bred and are as good quality as can be found in this or any other county. Will be fat and in good shape by sale day.

25 HEAD OF CATTLE—2 extra good milch cows, 1 fresh, other will freshen soon; 9 2-year-old heifers, 14 head of spring calves, good ones.

57 HEAD OF HOGS—22 head of brood sows, 35 head of stock hogs.

TERMS—All sums of $10.00 and under cash, over that amount a credit of 3, 6 or 9 months time on a bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date. Lunch on grounds.

Gorman & McMahon

R. P. Hosmer, Auctioneer.
G. B. Baker, Clerk.

FOR SALE

Everything I Have Got

My beautiful home on South Main street, no better property in Maryville.

Three business houses, first 3 doors south of First National Bank. No better inside rental property.

My barn on East Side of Square, good rental property.

House and lot on East First street, good location.

No agents, no mortgage. See me.

J. A. FORD

HEADACHY, BILIOUS, UPSET? "CASCARETS"

Bilious, Throbbing Headache Means Bowels Are Clogged and Liver Stagnant—You Need Cascarets.

You're bilious, you have a throbbing sensation in your head, a bad taste in your mouth, your eyes burn, your skin is yellow, with dark rings under your eyes; your lips are parched. No wonder you feel ugly, mean and ill-tempered. Your system is full of bile not properly passed off, and what you need is a cleaning up inside. Don't continue being a bilious nuisance to yourself and those who love you, and don't resort to harsh physics that irritate and injure. Remember that most disorders of the stomach, liver and intestines can be quickly cured by morning with gentle, thorough Cascarets—they work while you sleep. A 10-cent box from your druggist will keep your liver and bowels clean; stomach sweet and your head clear for months. Children love to take Cascarets, because they taste good and never gripe or sicken.—Advertisement.

Mrs. C. H. Hudson of Poplar Bluff, Mo., who has been visiting relatives in Worth county, returned to Maryville Wednesday evening for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hunt.

HEARTS and Flowers

The Most Effective Valentine

Beautiful, blooming flowers are far more in keeping with the tender sentiments of St. Valentine's Day than any expression in any other form. Nothing expresses the spirit of the day so perfectly, nothing you can send your sweetheart or wife which will convey tenderness, love and affection so well, for **"Flowers are lovely, love is flowerlike."** Of all the missives she receives throughout the Day none will win her favor so much as Flowers from **Engelmann's.** We offer an especially nice selection of fresh cut violets, sweet peas, lily of the valley, roses, carnations, etc, and beautiful potted plants, all very attractively arranged for St. Valentine's Day at very reasonable prices. Mail orders promptly attended to.

THE ENGELMANN GREENHOUSES

1001 South Main St.

Phones, Hanamo 171-3; Bell 126

OIL COMBINE OUSTER UPHELD

State Supreme Court Refuses to Modify Order.

LAMM AND WOODSON DISSENT

Jefferson City, Mo., Feb. 13.—The Missouri supreme court refused to modify the judgment of ouster against the Standard Oil company and the original order ousting the company from the state now stands. The original order was issued more than four years ago.

The opinion of the court was concurred in by five judges, Chief Justice Lamm and Judge Woodson dissenting.

The dissenting judges held that to oust the Standard Oil company from the state would leave the Waters-Pierce Oil company in control of the oil business of Missouri. Henry Clay Pierce, by purchase, recently acquired all the holdings of the Rockefeller interests in the Waters-Pierce company. The dissenting judges recommended that a commission be appointed to take testimony and determine what action should be taken in view of the changed conditions in the oil situation in Missouri.

The ouster judgment was affirmed by the supreme court of the United States. The company paid a fine of $50,000 assessed against it, but asked to be allowed to do business in the state on condition that it comply with the laws.

First Joint Ballot Taken in Illinois.

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 13.—The first joint ballot of the Illinois legislature for the long term senatorship resulted as follows: Sherman (Rep.) 76; Lewis (Dem.), 89; Funk (Prog.), 25; Berlyn (Soc.), 4; necessary to choice, 102.

THIS LADY'S GOOD APPETITE

Mrs. Hansen, In a Letter From Mobile, Tells How She Gained It.

Mobile, Ala.—"I suffered for seven years, with womanly trouble," writes Mrs. Sigurd Hansen in a letter from this city. "I felt weak and always had a headache and was always going to the doctor. At last I was operated on, and felt better, but soon I had the same trouble.

My husband asked me to try Cardui. I felt better after the first bottle, and now, I have a good appetite and sleep well. I feel fine, and the doctor tells me I am looking better than he ever saw me."

If you are sick and miserable, and suffer from any of the pains due to womanly trouble—try Cardui.

Cardui is successful because it is composed of ingredients that have been found to act curatively on the womanly constitution.

For more than fifty years, it has been used by women of all ages, with great success. Try it. Your druggist sells it.

N. B.—*Write to:* Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn., for *Special Instructions*, and 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," sent in plain wrapper, on request.

PUBLIC SALE

Having sold my farm I will offer for public sale, at the farm, 3 miles southeast of Maryville, on

Friday, February 14, 1913

The following property:

11 HEAD OF HORSES—From 2 years up to 12 years, 5 mares bred to draft horse. Also 1 extra large Jennet to be sold.

11 HEAD OF CATTLE—5 milch cows, the rest yearling and 2 year olds.

1,600 bu. of corn in crib, 50 tons of hay, 25 tons of baled hay.

SEED CORN—Funks 90 days Yellow Dent.

IMPLEMENTS—1 gang plow, nearly new; 2 stirring plows, 3 cultivators, 1 disk, 1 grain drill, 1 stalk cutter, 1 corn planter, 1 3-section harrow, 1 sulky rake, 1 mower, 1 Dane hay stacker, 1 sweep rake, 2 hole corn sheller, 2 wagons, 1 galvanized stack cover 20x40. Posts—walnut, oak and hedge; cord wood, iron kettle, tank hand seeder, end gate seeder, disk sharpener, 1 cream separator. Other things too numerous to mention.

TERMS—All sums under $10 cash over that amount a credit of 3, 6 or 9 months time on a bankable note at 8 per cent interest.

Lunch served by Ladies' Aid Society.

R. P. Hosmer, Auctioneer.
G. B. Baker, Clerk.

I. W. Nixon

Hosmer's Mid-Month Stock Sale

Gray's Sale Pavilion—Saturday, February 15, 1913

50 Head of HORSES and MULES—9 head of coming 3 year old mules and 15 head of horses and mares, listed by E. H. Bainum. They are the good kind and are fat. Some are 4 and 5 years old, others good gentle work stuff with a little age that have been used in bus business, and are the right kind for farm work. There will also be several good brood mares, drivers and drafters.

STOCK CATTLE, MILCH COWS, BROOD SOWS AND BOARS

This will be a big sale and the spring demand is here, and if you have stock of any kind to sell list it early, for I will sure have the buyers. Remember first listed, first sold. Don't forget the date, Saturday, February 15, 1913.

R. P. HOSMER, "The Auctioneer"

QUININE? NO! PAPE'S BEST FOR BAD COLD.

First Dose of Pape's Cold Compound Relieves All Misery From a Cold or the Grippe.

It is a positive fact that a dose of Pape's Cold Compound, taken every two hours until three consecutive doses are taken, will end the Grippe and break up the most severe cold, either in the head, chest, back, stomach, limbs or any part of the body.

It promptly relieves the most miserable headache, dullness, head and nose stuffed up, feverishness, sneezing, sore throat, running of the nose, mucous catarrhal discharges, soreness, stiffness and rheumatic twinges.

Take this wonderful Compound as directed, with the knowledge that there is nothing else in the world, which will cure your cold or end Grippe misery as promptly and without any other assistance or bad after-effects as a 25-cent package of Pape's Cold Compound, which any druggist can supply—accept no substitute—contains no quinine. Belongs in every home. Tastes nice—acts gently.—Advertisement.

MT. AYR.

A very pleasant surprise was planned and effectively carried out at the home of Albert Mercer on Thursday evening. A delightful evening was spent with music and games, after which a dainty luncheon was served. Mr. and Mrs. Mercer intend moving to a new location, and the day was also his thirty-second birthday. The following are some of the guests at the party, being in addition to the names used in The Democrat-Forum, the names being omitted from the paper owing to a mistake: Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Carmichael, Mr. and Mrs. Orin Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. L. McGinnis, Mr. and Mrs. G. Bonewitz, Mr. and Mrs. Fisher Mercer, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. John Lynch, Mr. and Mrs. H. Lyon, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schweikhardt, Mrs. Inman, Mrs. S. Mozingo, Mrs. Frank Trusty, Misses Nettie Smock, Opal Vern Wallace, May Smith, Mary Smith, Chloe Dick, Ethel Dick, Lottie Pike, Holen Bonewitz, Mebel Parker, Charlie Parker, Katie Mercer, Edith Irwin, Jesse Fisher, Saime Thompson, Sadie Thompson and Orla Wilcox.

Miss Ora Wilcox spent Sunday the guest of her sister, Mrs. Charles Baker, of Maryville.

Kane Bros., Mr. Henry Heitman and Erb Mozingo all have been having their year's wood sawing done. Bert Hiatt of Maryville is doing the work.

Very sad, indeed, was the sudden illness and death of Edith Conklin, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Will Conklin, who used to reside in this vicinity. We must remember the admonition of the Savior when He said, "Suffer little children to come unto me for of such is the kingdom of heaven."

And again the grim reaper has entered the home of Joseph Williams and taken their little daughter, aged about one year, Thursday, February 6. The funeral was held at St. Mary's church and interment at cemetery south.

Mr. William McComas and wife are here on a visit from Pine Bluff, Wyo.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Rich have arrived from Colorado, having been called by a telegram on account of the illness and death of their little granddaughter, Edith Conklin.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—6,000. Market 10c higher. Estimate tomorrow, 3,000.

Hogs—28,000. Market 5c lower to weak; top, $8.40. Estimate tomorrow, 27,000.

Sheep—18,000. Market strong.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—2,000. Market 10c higher.

Hogs—8,500. Market 5c lower to weak; top, $8.20.

Sheep—9,000. Market strong.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—2,000. Market 10c higher.

Hogs—10,000. Market 5c lower to weak; top, $8.15.

Sheep—6,000. Market strong.

Seed Corn

Reid's Yellow Dent and St. Charles White, $2 per bushel in ear or shelled and graded. Early Northwestern seed oats, recleaned and graded. These oats weigh 40 pounds. Phone No. 162, pink.

S. S. WEBB, Burlington Junction.

600 AMERICANS FLEE TO SUBURBS

Ambassador Rents Houses in Outskirts of Mexico City.

TWO WOMEN FROM U. S. PERISH

Mrs. Holmes and Mrs. Griffiths Shot to Pieces in Kitchen—Protest Against Further Use of Artillery Useless—White Flag Fired On.

Mexico City, Feb. 13.—Anticipating an early resumption of hostilities, more than 600 Americans fled from their homes to temporary abodes in the outskirts of the city, where the danger from the fire will be minimized. Ambassador Wilson, on information from the national palace, knew that the government planned a crushing blow and rented numerous houses, to which under flag of truce agents of the embassy hurried in automobiles as many women and children as would agree to be transported.

The casualties are estimated at not less than 300 dead and 1,500 wounded in the two days' fighting.

Mexico City, Feb. 13.—During the height of the fighting in Mexico City Mrs. H. W. Holmes, the wife of an employee of Dun's agency, was killed, and Mrs. Percy Griffiths, the wife of an employee of the street railway company, was mortally wounded, both of her legs being shot off. Allie Bland, a printer, was shot through the arm. Mrs. Griffiths died soon afterward.

Mrs. Holmes and Mrs. Griffiths were preparing dinner in their kitchens in an apartment building close to the arsenal when a shell from the federal lines burst through the walls, instantly killing Mrs. Holmes and leaving Mrs. Griffiths in a dying condition.

Bland was walking along Independencia avenue when he was struck by a rifle ball from the federal lines.

From early morning the sharp crack of the rifles or the crash of cannon could be heard in some quarter of the city almost every minute of the day, sometimes close, sometimes far distant. The diplomatic representatives of four powers protested, and an armistice was arranged so that an envoy from these diplomats could enter the rebel lines and confer with Diaz.

White Flag Fired Upon.

This envoy was fired on by the troops, although under a white flag, but this was doubtless due to the inability of the federal commander to control all points of his lines.

The American ambassador, Henry Lane Wilson; the British minister, F. W. Stronge; the German minister, Herr von Hintze, and the Spanish minister, Senor Cologan, called at the national palace in a lull in the fire shortly before noon. After a brief conference with President Madero they had little difficulty in gaining his promise to suspend operations until the diplomats or their representative could confer with the rebel commander if Diaz would do likewise.

D. E. Hamer was chosen to carry the message of protest to Diaz. He entered an automobile, which, with a white flag flying, moved through the federal lines. It was supposed the troops had been advised of his mission, but the automobile instantly was made the target for numerous rifles, and bullets rattled about it. It continued on its way, however, the diplomatic envoy being unhurt.

Business District Shelled.

The bombardment reached a climax when Diaz shelled the very center of the business district in an effort to silence the cannon of the government and drive from the roofs of the Taylor building the federal sharpshooters and the men serving the machine guns.

This terrific action, directed from the arsenal, continued for more than two hours. Shrapnel fell like hail and occasionally bursting shells tore holes in the sides of buildings.

Meanwhile the fire from the opposite direction rendered the far out residence district uninhabitable, as well as the big apartment building, known as Gore court, on Roma street.

The federal guns replied occasionally, but without serious damage to the rebel positions. It was this action which decided the diplomats, after communicating with their governments, to protest against the continuation of such operations, which they characterized as unsanctioned by the laws of warfare of civilized nations.

The protest of the diplomats took the form of a demand that the firing zone should be limited, but it accomplished nothing. Both Madero and Diaz evaded responsibility, each placing the blame on the other and characterizing the attitude of the opposing side as barbarous and in violation of the rules of civilized warfare.

The text of a notification sent by the Mexican minister of war to General Felix Diaz follows:

"The artillery fire coming from you is causing danger to the life and interests of non-combatants and to the lives of the foreign residents and diplomatic ministers. As this is in flagrant violation of the laws of war of civilized nations, I notify you that if you do not limit your fire to the zone of combatants we will consider outside the law all those who occupy the arsenal when that position is taken by our forces."

Fish

Just Received a Fresh Shipment

Fat Mackerel,
Salt Sardells,
Boneless Herring,
French Sardines,
All Ready Cod Fish,
Smoked Halibut,
Smoked Bloaters
Fine White Fish,
Smoked Salmon,
Boneless Cod Fish,
Fish Flakes,
Crab Meat,
Spiced Herring,
Mustard Sardines,
White Cod Fish.

The Best Quality.

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Let Us Have a Look at Your Eyes

You may be having trouble that is caused from eye strain.

Our thorough routine examination with Mediaometer and trial case enable us to obtain results that make the use of glasses a pleasure.

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SPECIALIST.

Practice limited to diseases of the Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat, and general consultation. All phones. Office hours, 9 to 11 a. m.; 2 to 4 p. m.

Poultry Cards

One inch cards in this column for $1.50 per month. No card taken for less than one month at this rate.

KELLERSTRASS CRYSTAL White Orpington and prize winning S. C. Buff Orpington Eggs for hatching. White Orpington cockerels for sale. F. W. Olney, Bell phone 277.

WHITE ORPINGTONS, Kellerstrass strain. Now booking orders for eggs, $2 and $3 per setting. Get your orders in early. G. B. Holmes. Will sell one pen if taken at once.

R. C. R. I. REDS at $1.00 for 15 Eggs. Will deliver eggs when anted. Mrs. J. H. Hanna, Pickering, Mo.

FOR SALE—Brown Leghorn and White Orpington cockerels and Tom Turkeys.
MRS. C. H. RICE.
Farmers' phone 40-20. Route 4.

S. C. BUFF and WHITE ORPINGTONS

Plenty of good, fresh eggs from my Buffs in 100 lots at $6.00 per, or by the single setting at $1.00 per 15. Still have a few choice cockerels from both varieties at reasonable prices. Also 3 Cycle incubators for sale cheap.

MRS. HENRY N. MOORE,
Farmers' phone 2516. R. F. D. 6

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R. E. MARTIN, Manager.
PLUMBING AND HEATING.
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Hanamo 46, Bell 314. Maryville, Mo.

W. F. BOLIN
Architect and General Contractor
Wants to draw your plans and build your house. Make your new screens or repair your old ones. All work done by first class workmen. Call Hanamo 268.

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C. M. CLINE
All phones. Calls answered day or night.
J. L. TILSON'S LIVERY BARN.

WANTS

Advertisements are inserted in this column at the rate of three lines (18 words) three days for 25 cents. For ads larger than three lines one cent extra will be charged for each word in excess of 18. Cash must accompany orders for these small amounts.

FOR RENT

5-room dwelling at southwest corner Fourth and Buchanan streets.

6-room dwelling at northwest corner Fillmore and Torrance streets.

Also **FOR SALE** or exchange for good farm lands, two nice suburban dwellings with modern conveniences and large grounds, one on North Mulberry street, 9 acres, and one on West First street, 2 acres. The latter on paved street. All bargains for quick sales.

Also two 80-acre improved farms **TO EXCHANGE** for Maryville residence property.

Prices made known on application at office, over Nodaway Valley bank. All phones. The Sisson Loan and Title Company. 17-tf

FOR SALE—Hard coal base burner. Call at Sisson Loan and Title Co. 7-tf

FOR SALE—Horse, harness and phaeton. Inquire at this office. 11-13

WANTED—Job on farm. Call 136 Bell phone, South Newton street. 11-13

FOR RENT—Half of a 14-room house, city and well water. 548 West Second. Rent very low. 12-13

WILL SELL at the house 500 pounds bran at 98c per 100 lbs; shorts, $1.08 for 100 lbs. Glover & Alexander. 7-tf

WANTED—Girl to strip tobacco and learn to pack cigars. Hutton's cigar factory. 13-15

LOST—Saturday afternoon, a white cameo pin, delicately tinted, woman's head, medium size. Leave at this office. Reward.

THE PARTY who found blue and black plush robe please return to Democrat-Forum office and save further trouble. 11-13

FOR SALE—4 room house, 2 lots, good cave, fruit trees, well, etc. Southeast part of town. Inquire this office. 12-14

FOR SALE—An 8-room house and lot. A 5-room house, one or two lots. One vacant lot. Call Hanamo 259 Blue. 14-tf

FOR SALE—Mammoth black jack, 4 years old, sired by Major Domo 474, of Quiet Glenn. Omer O. Davis, route 1, Bolckow, Mo. 21-26

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USE HOME GROWN

SEED CORN CAN BEST BE SELECTED WITHOUT SENDING OFF.

SAVE WIFE'S TEMPER

Make Home Pleasant For the Chickens and Reap a Reward in Unscratched Flower Beds.

Tonight's Program.

7:30 p. m.—Lecture. History of Agriculture—J. C. Whitten of the state university. The lecture will be given at the court house.

Tomorrow's Program.

9-11 a. m., at Normal—Lecture: The Marketing of Eggs and General Care of Poultry—Mr. Kempster.

11-12—Lecture: Some Horse Feeding Problems—Mr. Trowbridge. This lecture will take up the essentials in the nutrition of the horse; possible economy in feeding; recent experimental work discussed.

1-2 p. m.—Dr. J. C. Whitten will talk on small fruit raising, followed by a talk by Mr. Kempster.

2-4 p. m.—Demonstration: Judging Horses—Mr. Trowbridge. A study of type and conformation in draft and light horses; market classes and grades of horses discussed.

Another large class was on hand to hear Mr. Douglass' discussion of the corn question at the beginning of Thursday morning's session at 9 o'clock. The instructor gave most of the hour to pointers on the selection of seed corn.

Mr. Douglass does not approve of the farmer sending away for his seed corn.

"Select it from your own yield," he says. "But in case you do send out of your own vicinity do not get too far from home," are Mr. Douglass' instructions. He says not to send farther east than Illinois, and that in getting seed even a hundred miles north or south of your locality you are liable to get corn that cannot mature in the given time, or if it comes from the north it will be of a smaller variety. Mr. Douglass illustrated a part of his lecture with lantern slides.

On Poultry Raising.

A genial young man who looks almost too young to be called professor, but who has that title down at the university, and whose name is Mr. H. L. Kempster, gave one of the most interesting lectures that has been heard at the short course this week. The subject was poultry raising, and the fine points of the game were laid down with the assurance of the man who knows.

The period this morning was given up to the proper housing of the chickens and great stress was laid on the location of the chicken house. Mr. Kempster relates that he was not always as fond of chickens as he is now, but as a boy he used to hate the sight of them, but as they were necessary to the home he tolerated them, and finally became interested in them.

"The only way to keep the chickens where you want them," said Mr. Kempster, "is to make their home pleasant for them and feed them there. This will save the house wife's temper by eliminating her raid on them at regular intervals to 'shoo' them off the back porch. It will also be the preservation of the flower beds.

"Did you every get angry at the chickens for scratching up the flower beds?" asked Mr. Kempster of one lady.

"No," was the reply, "but I have at my husband."

The lecture was suspended for a few moments.

The emphasis of the whole talk was laid on the provision of a good house for the fowls, not necessarily an expensive or an elaborate one, but one which is properly constructed. For absolute plans the people were referred to bulletin 107 of the state university.

Professor Douglass spoke on "Seed corn" before the noon hour, and stated methods of storing and testing seed corn. His talk was illustrated with lantern slides of the prize corn at the state corn show held in Columbia.

Mr. Allison spoke after noon on "Feeding Hogs for Market." It was a study of the relative value of rotations for growing and fattening swine. Many lantern slides were used during his talk, and in them he showed a number of the prize winners at the International show at Chicago. One slide was a picture of Diamond Goods, C. D. Bellows' herd bull, who won many prizes at Chicago.

This afternoon stock judging is taken up at the Gray pavilion. Omar Catterson's fine Aberdeen-Angus cattle are being judged.

POULTRY PROBLEMS.

Professor Kempster is to Appear on the Program Friday.

Pofessor Kempster, the poultry authority will talk Friday morning on "The Marketing of Eggs and the General Care of Poultry." Mr. Kempster says there is one million dollars worth of eggs lost yearly in Missouri, the greater part of which loss is due to carelessness. The lecture will cover the poultry question generally. The chief needs of the people who are engaged in this industry will be considered, and wherever it is possible remedies will be suggested. The lectures are live and of great interest and should be attended by every student of the course.

With the Short Coursers.

Prof. H. O. Allison, who has been in charge of the short course here, was called to Columbia this afternoon on account of sickness in his family.

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T. R. Douglass of the University of Missouri, who has been here since the opening of the course, will return to Columbia tonight.

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Some of the seed corn of M. C. Thompson was used for the corn selection class Thursday morning.

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Several women were in the class Thursday morning to get some pointers on poultry raising.

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There will be a change in Friday's program. As Mr. Douglass and Mr. Allison are to return to Columbia this evening their places on the program for tomorrow will be taken by Prof. Kempster and Dr. J. C. Whitten.

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Dr. J. C. Whitten, head of the horticultural department of the state university, will arrive in the city this evening on the Wabash train from Columbia. He is to give the last of the night lectures at the court house at 7:30 o'clock this evening. An effort will be made to get Dr. Whitten to remain over in the city for Friday, and

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KEEP BIDDY BUSY

IT IS THE ONLY WAY TO MAKE THE MISSOURI HEN HAPPY.

WILL MAKE YOU RICK

Missouri Gets $50,000,000 a Year From Her Poultry—A Great Speech Last Night.

"A good thoroughbred hen is never so happy as when she is busy. Give her proper food, something to work at all the time, a good scratching place, and a good quiet place to lay her eggs, and she will never be cross or say one word until she delivers the goods."—Director Quisenberry.

Chickens are not just chickens, as we always thought. But they are real fine live stock, and are to be classed alongside of Shorthorn, Aberdeen Angus and Jersey cattle and Poland-China hogs, and are as aristocratic in pedigree, and what is better, are in the reach of everybody who has an extra space of ground as big as twenty feet in their garden or back yard. And that amount of room will enable any one who has the proper amount of gumption to raise all the poultry and eggs necessary for an ordinary family.

The illustrated lecture Wednesday night at the court house by Director Quisenberry of the Missouri poultry experiment station at Mountain Grove, Mo., was largely attended and his talk was fully appreciated by the poultry raisers present, and gave an insight to the bigness and possibilities of the business to those unfamiliar with poultry raising.

Director Quisenberry is surprised and more than pleased with the interest taken in the short course in agricultural pursuits at the Northwest Normal, and said he found things on a much larger scale up here than he had anticipated.

"The devil himself can't keep the farmer down if you keep this thing up," he said.

He had wanted to visit Maryville for a long time, for a great number of reasons, the principal one being the fact that he had been helped more by Senator Craig than anyone else in getting the legislature to take up the matter of pure bred poultry for Missouri by maintaining an experiment station. He said he was not opposed to scrub poultry; that he would rather that kind would be raised than none at all, but when it was known that so much better results could be secured in raising good poultry making easier and better money for the breeder, he believed the people would cull out every particle of inferior stock and set themselves to raising the best.

Missouri is now the leading poultry and egg state in the country. The Missouri hen yielded $50,000,000 for her raisers last year, more than double the price of Missouri's wheat crop. There is no reason why this amount could not be doubled, he said, with the right knowledge and care on the part of breeders.

To get a start in poultry raising is

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DATES NEXT WEEK

PRELIMINARY CONTESTS FRIDAY AND SATURDAY.

COUNTY CONTEST FEB. 28

Spelling Contest to Find the Champion of the County, Who Will Compete in the State Contest.

The preliminary spelling contests will be held in the different townships in the county prior to the county spelling contest, which will be held in Maryville, in the high school auditorium, February 28. The written contest will be held on that day between 4 and 5:30 p. m. The oral contest will be held in the evening, beginning at 7:30.

In each of these contests three medals will be given. The first prize will be a gold medal, the second will be a silver medal and the third will be a bronze medal.

The champion speller of the county will be a delegate to the state spelling contest to be held in Jefferson City. The champion prize in the state contest will be $100, the second $50 and the third $25.

Below are the dates and places for the preliminary contests to be held in the different townships. Teachers should note the time of these meetings carefully so as to have the pupils present at the designated hour. They are as follows:

Independence—Gaynor school, February 21, 1 p. m.

Hopkins—Hopkins high school, February 15, 2 p. m.

Atchison—Clearmont high school, February 15, 1:30 p. m.

Lincoln—Elmo high school, February 21, 2 p. m.

Nodaway—Burlington Junction high school, February 22, 10 a. m.

Union—Pickering high school, February 15, 10 a. m.

Jackson—Ravenwood high school, February 22, 1:30 p. m.

North Polk—Circuit court room, February 22, 1 p. m.

Green—Quitman high school, February 21, 10 a. m.

Monroe—Skidmore high school, February 22, 10 a. m.

South Polk—Circuit court room, February 22, 2 p. m.

Jefferson—Clyde hall, February 22, 1:30 p. m.

Washington—Guilford school, February 22, 1:30 p. m.

Grant—Barnard high school, February 22, 2 p. m.

White Cloud—Davis school, February 21, 1:30 p. m.

Hughes—Graham high school, February 21, 10:30 a. m.

Craig's Bill Defeated.

Jefferson City, Feb. 13.—Women in the rural districts of Missouri will not be able to sit on school boards for at least two years to come. Senator Craig's bill, which conferred this right on women in the rural districts, was defeated on reconsideration in the senate last night by a vote of 16 to 12.

LOST—Brass cap off of wheel of fire wagon. Finder will please return to city hall or Real Estate bank. 13-tf

REBECCA VANSTAVOREN DEAD.

Passed Away at Shirleysburg, Pa., on February 2—Was a Former Resident of Maryville.

The following obituary was received by The Democrat-Forum of the death of Miss Rebecca VanStavoren at Shirleysburg, Pa., who was a former resident of this city:

Rebecca VanStavoren was born in Delaware, July 4th, 1830. With her parents she endured the hardships of pioneer life in Indiana and Illinois. In 1867 the family moved to Maryville, Mo., where the deceased lived for forty-three years. Two years ago she removed to Shirleysburg, Pa., to make her home with her nephew and niece, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Colgate. Here she quietly fell asleep on Sabbath evening, Feb. 2, at the ripe age of 82 years.

Miss VanStavoren was a faithful member of the Presbyterian church of Maryville. She was a life-long student of the Bible. She read and re-read the sermons of Moody and Spurgeon and kept up with current religious literature.

Many of the older residents of Maryville will remember her fondness for flowers, her constant care for dumb, helpless creatures, and her faithful ministrations in times of sickness or distress.

11 SEEK FREEDOM

NEXT TERM OF COURT WILL HEAR MARITAL WOES.

MAY HAVE GRAND JURY

Docket For February Term, Which Convenes Monday, is Not Heavy, With Few Important Cases.

The February term of circuit court will convene Monday with Judge W. C. Ellison on the bench. This term of court will not be an unusually long one, and there are only a few important or sensational cases to be tried.

It is thought that a grand jury will be summoned by the court during the term to find if there are any violations of the gaming or local option laws in the county.

The parole docket will be taken up the first day of court and there are twenty-two of these cases.

The equity docket will come up also on the first day and there are forty-three of these cases.

The trial docket will come up on Wednesday, February 19, and there are 142 of these cases, mostly all of them being tax bill and paving bill cases.

The criminal docket is set for Friday, February 28, and there will be twenty-five of these cases.

At this term of court some of the important cases are:

Laura Price and J. G. Price against the city of Maryville for $2,500 damages each; the breech of promise case of Grace Fulks vs. John E. Courter for $5,000; the will contest suit of John A. Hogan et al. vs. Peter Mergen et al.; the will contest suit of Joseph T. B. Johnson vs. Rosetta Sawyer et al.; Edna Irvine of Burlington Junction, charged with carrying concealed weapons and with assault with intent to kill; James Lane, charged with assault with intent to kill; Charles Robinett, charged with carnal knowledge; Millard Lash, charged with carnal knowledge; Dr. J. E. Neeley, charged with bigamy.

There are eleven divorce cases that will come up at this term of court.

Marriage Licenses.

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Letters From Other States Asking Information Shows Widespread Interest Taken in Movement.

Cape Girardeau was the second county in the state to hire a county advisor. C. M. McWilliams was selected as their advisor and the following article written by him on how the work was started and how carried on in that county, will be of interest at this time since Nodaway county is considering the proposition of hiring a county advisor:

In June, 1912, a number of the most progressive citizens of Cape Girardeau county learned that by co-operating with the Missouri state college of agriculture, it was possible to obtain for their county the services of a man trained in agriculture and that the state would pay one fourth of the salary of $2,000, or $500, these men saw the advantages of the proposition at once. Petitions were circulated among the residents of the county and sixteen of every seventeen men approached signed them. A mass meeting was advertised to be held at the county court house and an enthusiastic crowd was present and the petitions were presented to the court. The judges were impressed and a three year contract was made with the college. By the terms of this contract to furnish a man and pay one-fourth of his salary; the county to provide an office, office expenses and the remainder of the salary. That is how proposition was started and handled.

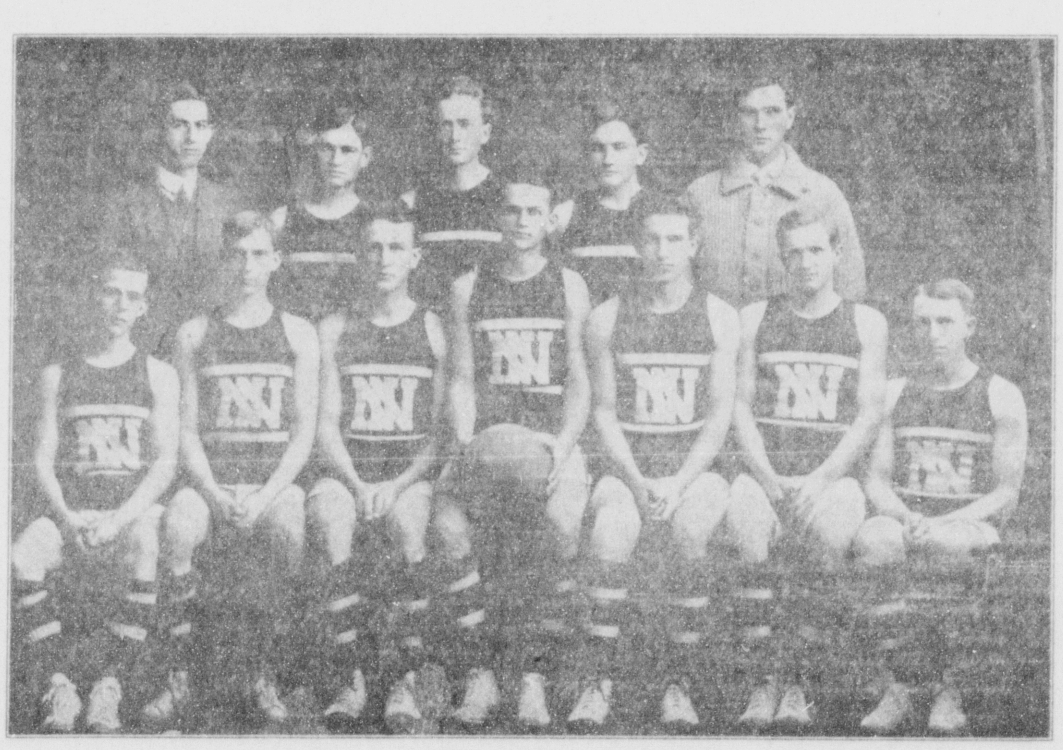
The position was filled August 1, and one of the first things that attracted attention was the ravages of hog cholera. Hogs were dying like flies and little was being done to check the disease. With the assistance of the veterinary department of the college, in ninety days 2100 head were vaccinated with uniformly good results. The average number owned on each farm was twenty. No charge whatever was made for administering the serum; at the lowest calculation $11,500 was saved to the county. Information in regard to the disease was scattered and its progress checked.

Numbers of meetings have been held in all parts of the county. The college of agriculture, the state board of agriculture and the railroads have at various times furnished speakers on timely subjects. These meetings have all been practical, in other words "heart to heart" talks with the farmers. The boys have not been neglected for they have had corn judging contests, corn growing contests, and stock judging contests. Four of these boys won short course scholarships at the state agricultural college.

In carrying out the work here two days each week have been used office days. This is generally known throughout the county. Consequent anyone desiring to consult the county man personally may do so. Hundreds of them have. Four days each week are used as field days and for special work that may at any time come up. The Cape Girardeau county farm contains 300 acres and the cropping system is under the direction of the county man. In addition to this the newspaper phase of the work is important. It furnishes a means of reaching the people. Both local and state papers are always glad to give space in their columns to any article pertaining to the agricultural interests. Because of the papers our work is not only known locally, but abroad. It is no uncommon thing to receive letters from Oklahoma, Illinois, Kansas and Nebraska asking for information and what they could do to bring about like results.

As yet our county organization has not been perfected but plans are now under way. The idea is to divide the county into suitable districts, probably twenty-four (our county contains 575 square miles), the people of these districts will organize and elect one of their number president of each local organization. These presidents will in turn become members of a county farm bureau which will meet at stated intervals. Meetings will also be held locally with local men and other available speakers on the program. Bulletins on this count, its crops and conditions will be issued and there seems to be little doubt but that a substantial sum will be available to be used as premiums for the largest yields of grains and other farm produce of the county.

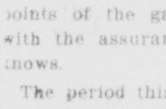
THE NORTHWEST NORMAL BASKET BALL TEAM



Personnel of team—Standing, from left to right, Coach V. I. Moore, Lamar, Strader, Woodward, Anderson, manager. Sitting, left to right, Taylor, Seymour, Perrin, Vandersloot, captain; Quinn, Daise, McClintoch.

The Northwest Normal basket ball team is in the midst of a successful season. Coach Moore's men have won six and lost three of the nine games with outside teams, beside having won the city championship in the nine-game tournament recently ended. The teachers won all nine games. Friday night they will play St. Joseph Central high school at the Normal gymnasium.

Do You Wear Glasses?



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We are authorized to announce FRANK BOLIN as a candidate for the nomination for Township Collector subject to the action of the Democratic nominating convention.

White Cloud Township.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for tax collector of White Cloud township, subject to the decision of the Democratic township nominating convention. S. B. WILLIAMS.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for tax collector of White Cloud township, subject to the decision of the Democratic township nominating convention. RUFUS CAREY.

BANQUET WELL ATTENDED.

Men's Club of the Presbyterian Church Held an Enjoyable Meeting on Tuesday Evening.

The banquets by the Men's club of the First Presbyterian church are getting better and better. The one held Tuesday evening in the church parlors, the regular place, was probably the most helpful gathering the club has yet held. The Dietz sisters furnished the music for the occasion. Two toasts were responded to, the first on "Why Should Men Attend Church," by Mr. C. E. Wells, and the other by Rev. S. D. Harkness on "How You Men May Help the Sunday Evening Worship." Both toasts were informally discussed by all in attendance. Those present were: Rev. Harkness, John Aley, Emery Airy, H. G. Barton, Dean G. H. Colbert, Roy Curfman, Prof. J. E. Cameron, George Demott, L. O. Goble, D. E. Hotchkin, Hal Hooker, Lieber Holmes, Fred Jamison, Shepherd and Paul Leffler, Fred Lewis, Dr. F. M. Martin, John D. Richey, W. B. Scott, W. G. Sawyers, Charles Wadley, C. E. Wells.

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not an expensive business. All that is required for chickens to thrive and lay is to furnish them with comfortable quarters, windows properly placed for ventilation, movable roosting places that can be taken down and whitewashed and disinfected, plenty of room to scratch grit, greens and grain to eat, "and then use your gumption."

He prefers crushed limestone to anything else for grit, but says oyster shells are good. He warned against using Heneta and some other advertised grits for the feed. Nothing could better take the place of cracked corn and wheat for chickens. He is not in favor of the use of oats, owing to the husk that encloses the seed. He had known chickens to die from eating them, and their craws were found full of holes made by the oat husks.

Many illustrations were used by the speaker to show the difference in the breeds and the difference in chickens of the same breed showing how to judge each and how to cull from a flock all inferior birds. The best birds had big, deep bodies, combs set on in such a way as to give the beak a short effect, betokening high vitality. These were the thoroughbreds and the money makers. He believes in culling from the time of hatching. Put the bright-eyed little chicks in your breeding pen, but cull sleepy looking ones.

The picture of two White Plymouth Rock hens were shown. One had used the food given to such good purpose that she laid 281 eggs in one year, making the highest individual record at the experiment station. She was clean, white and looked her breeding, but her feathers were ruffled and she was tired looking, and one could not help but think she had worked too hard and had been too good a mother. Her sister stood beside her, a perfectly charming little creature, so fresh and cute looking, head erect, her feathers beautifully white and glistening and laying just so on her round little body. She had used the care and food she had received for fine clothes and paraded around in her pretty dress and softly cooed and sung to herself and got off with laying fifty eggs, perfectly satisfied with herself. How very human-like that is, we thought.

Other beautiful pictures were shown of individual birds, hens and cockerels, the pen of Rhode Island Reds that won in a laying contest, handsome Barred Rocks and other Rocks and Orpingtons, and so on, and they are aristocrats, every one of them, actually reminding you of your own aristocratic ancestors and making you feel like you ought to sit up and look your best in order to give them your most respectful attention. One couldn't help but see that breeding will tell everywhere, among chickens or people, and those thoughtless young people over in the corner of the room that were having so much fun that those around them couldn't hear what the speaker was saying—well, they just forgot to show their good breeding, is all.

This is not much of a report of Mr. Quisenberry's lecture, as you no doubt have noticed. The principal reason is that we do not know enough about chickens to have a telling knowledge of what he said, but we will next time, for we have made up our mind to try some of the things he said. You can make a frame for a chicken house and cover it with cloth or muslin or anything that will be a protection from unfavorable weather in warm weather, but you must make it warm for winter. Petition off your chicken yard and spade up one side of it and deep and sow some kind of grain in it. When it comes up and gets a good stand turn the chickens in and then spade up the other side and treat it the same way, and keep right on doing that way. The result will be a surprise to you. A dry goods box will make a good home for a mother and her chicks. Feed them sour milk or buttermilk every day along with other care you give, and give it to your laying hens, too, and you will increase their laying qualities greatly.

In short, Mr. Quisenberry showed that the poultry industry will have to take the place of the shortage in the meat product caused by the settling up of cattle lands in the west, that made a reduction of 600,000,000 pounds in six months in the last year.

The year's final results in the national egg laying contest at the state poultry experimental station at Mountain Grove shows Rose Comb Reds led with 1,042 eggs credited to five hens. White Wyandottes are second, S. C. Leghorns third, and Barred Plymouth Rocks fourth, and the leading hen, a White Plymouth Rock, lays 281 marketable eggs in twelve months. The contest closed October 31, 1912.

PREPARING A PROGRAM.

One for the Northwest Missouri Teachers' Association to Be Held in This City April 24-25.

Mrs. Cora Early, county superintendent of Worth county, and president of the Northwest Missouri Teachers' association, is in Maryville today preparing a program for the annual meeting of the association to be held in this city April 24 and 25, at the Normal. The association meeting comes at the same time as the annual track meet and declamatory contest at the Normal. The program will not be announced for a month or so.

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Quart can best Tomatoes	9c
Quart cans solid packed Sweet Potatoes	10c
Quart cans Pork and Beans with tomato dressing	8c
Strictly good Cooking Apples, bu.	75c

The Townsend Co.
The Only Large Exclusive Cash Store in Northwest Missouri.

WILL GIVE FIRST NUMBER OF CONSERVATORY COURSE

PAUL VAN KATWIJK.

Mr. Katwijk has been making a successful tour of Europe, arriving in Baltimore this week where he will give a concert Friday night.

When in Norway his concert on September 26, 1911, the Nya Pressen at Helsingfors made the following comment:

"Paul van Katwijk scored a big success with his piano pieces by Chopin and Grieg, and was called upon to play several encores. The young artist made a most favorable impression."

The comment of the Hufrudstadtsbladet, Helsingfors, on February 8, 1912, was:

"Last night's performance opened with an excellent performance of Beethoven's Kreutzer Sonato. Mr. van Katwijk then played several pieces by Chopin, winning great applause. His playing is individual and deeply expressive. All numbers were played with a strong personal note and narrative force. The technical element in his playing is highly developed."

Is Dangerously Sick.

Elijah Ford, the father of Jim Andy Ford, is dangerously sick at his home on East First street.

News of Society and Womens' Clubs

Circle Meeting Saturday.

The Young Ladies' Mission Circle of the First Christian church will meet Saturday afternoon at the home of Miss Maud Hagins, on West Seventh street, with Mrs. Newton Hagins and Miss Hagins as hostesses.

Entertained at Dinner.

Mrs. Lillian Shelton entertained at 6 o'clock dinner Wednesday evening Rev. and Mrs. Gilbert S. Cox and son, Mrs. J. S. Ford, Misses Gladys and Merl Ford, Miss Mary M. Hughes and Miss Sara McMaster. Mrs. Ford and Merl Ford left on the 9:47 Wabash train for St. Louis for Cristobel, Panama, on an extended visit to Mrs. Ford's sons, Stanley and John Wesley Ford, who are in charge of the U. S. government printing plant there. While Mrs. Ford is on her visit Misses Alice and Gladys Ford will make their home with Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Kemp.

Hiles-Lundeen Wedding.

Mr. Fred Hiles and Miss Bettie Lundeen of Burlington Junction were united in marriage Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of the officiating minister, Rev. C. J. Miller of the First Christian church. The bride and groom are well known in Burlington Junction. The witnesses to the wedding were Mark Hiles, a brother; H. C. Hiles, an uncle; Miss Bernie Hiles, a cousin, and A. F. Stitt, the grandfather of the bridegroom. The young couple will make their home on a farm six miles southwest of Burlington Junction.

Met With Mrs. Duncan.

The Penelope club held a pleasant meeting Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. R. H. Duncan. The work hour was brief on account of a few diversions planned by the hostess for her guests in honor of St. Valentine's day. A contest that afforded much pleasure was a story in rhyme, containing blank spaces for words, ending in "ty" that had to be supplied by each guest. After the contest comic valentines were given to each of the guests by the hostess. The house was prettily decorated in hearts and a delicious luncheon was served.

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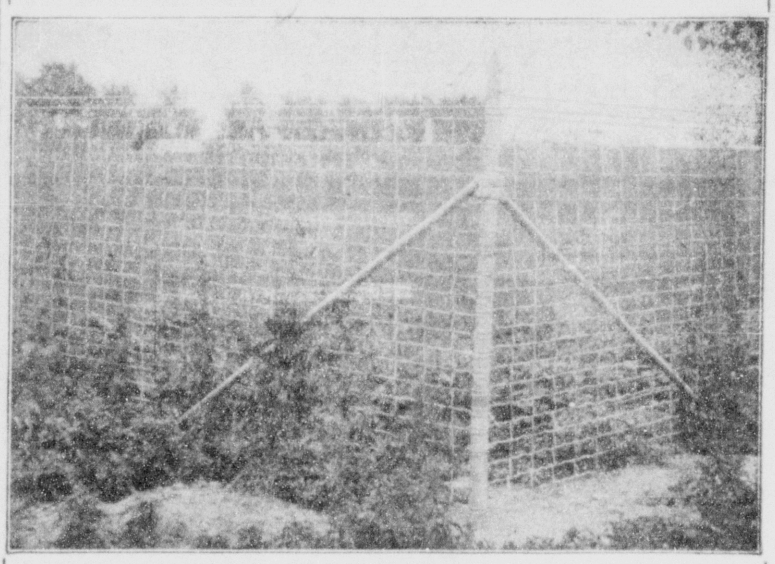

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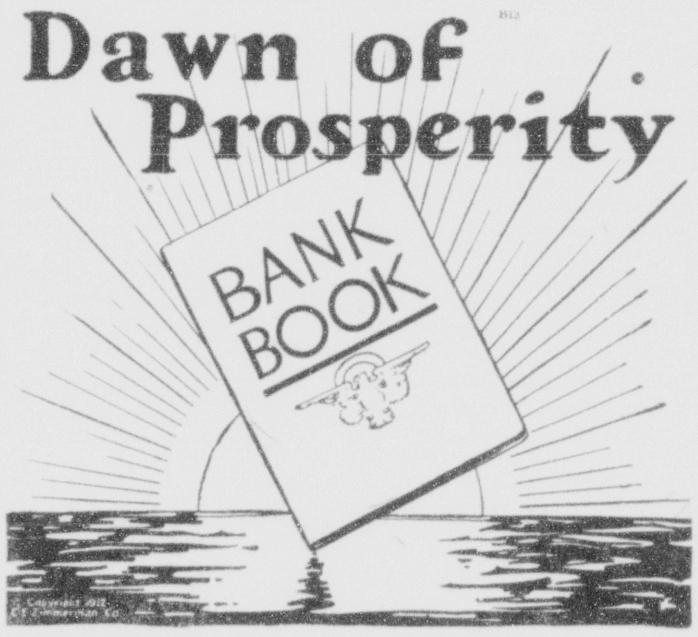

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Charles Walker of Burlington Junction was a Maryville visitor Wednesday.

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The Carl Hagenbeck
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700 PEOPLE; 300 HORSES 200 WILD BEASTS; 50 CLOWNS; 14 ELEPHANTS; 200 PERFORMERS. A GENUINE TREAT.. A WHOLE CIRCUS FROM THE TIME THE TRAIN ARRIVES IN TOWN TILL THE LOADING BEGINS. DON'T MISS IT. THERE WILL BE FIVE SHOWS, 3 'CLOCK, 4:30, 6, 7:30 AND 9 P. M., FEBRUARY THE 17TH AND 18TH. CONTINUOUS PERFORMANCE FROM 3:00 O'CLOCK IN THE AFTERNOON TILL 10:30 P. M.

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FEB. 17TH AND 18TH. FERN THEATRE.

GIRLS! GIRLS! SURELY TRY THIS! DOUBLES BEAUTY OF YOUR HAIR

ALL YOU NEED IS A 25-CENT BOTTLE OF "DANDERINE"—HAIR GETS LUSTROUS, FLUFFY AND ABUNDANT AT ONCE.

Immediate?—Yes! Certain?—that's the joy of it. Your hair becomes light, wavy, fluffy, abundant and appears as soft, lustrous and beautiful as a young girl's after a Danderine hair cleanse. Just try this—moisten a cloth with a little Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. This will cleanse the hair of dust, dirt or excessive oil and in just a few moments you have doubled the beauty of your hair.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Woodburn and son went to Pickering Wednesday to visit Mr. Woodburn's sister, Mrs. John Grimmitt, a few days.

APPLES

Grimes Golden and York Imperial apples, per barrel, $2.50. These varieties are splendid eating apples.

W. H. GHORMLY,
Hopkins, Mo.

Will Leave for Nebraska.

Miss Myrtle Peters of Mariarville, Neb., who has been attending the State Normal for several months and making her home with her cousin, Mrs. W. A. Miller, will leave for her home Saturday.

When in St. Joseph stop at Hotel Ryan (European), 313 South Sixth street. Steam heated. Rooms 50 cents to $1.00 per day.

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First door east of post office and will give

Special Prices Friday and Saturday

On the Following Articles:

Three 15c cans Corn	25c
Three 15c pkg. Corn Flakes	25c
Three 15c cans Pink Salmon	25c
25c can K. C. Baking Powder	20c
Two 15c cans Gilt Edge Baking Powder	25c
10c pkg. Mince Meat, very best, 2 for	15c
3 lbs. Evaporated Apples	25c
Gold Leaf Flour, sack $1.10, cwt.	$2.15
Gilt Edge Flour, sack $1.15, cwt	$2.25

Every sack guaranteed or money refunded.

Dish Sale, values 15c, 25c, 35c, 40c

Choice 10c Sale starts 9 a. m. Friday and lasts until 10 p. m. Saturday.

We sell for Cash or Produce and pay the Highest Market Price for Produce.

Childress Department Store

NORTH SIDE

City License Tax

Ordinance No. 440 requires of every Insurance Company and Agent before they are permitted to do business in the City, they must pay a license for such privilege. Agents take notice and get your receipt at once.

J. G. GREMS

City Collector

JACOB BAUGHER IS DEAD.

Well Known Farmer, Living Southeast of Skidmore, Died Thursday.—Funeral Saturday at 10 o'Clock.

Jacob Baugher, a brother-in-law of James F. Cook of this city, died at his home, six miles southeast of Skidmore, Thursday noon, after an illness of several weeks. His death had been expected for several days. Mr. Baugher was about 65 years old and is survived by his wife, three daughters and a son.

The funeral services will be held Saturday morning at 10 o'clock at the family residence. Burial will take place in Grove cemetery.

CALLED TO KENTUCKY.

Rev. Randolph Left Sunday Night on Account of Sister's Death.

Rev. J. D. Randolph of the Buchanan Street Methodist church is expected home Friday night from Corydon, Ky., where he went last Sunday night to attend the funeral of his sister, Mrs. U. G. Foote, who died Sunday morning at 3 o'clock at her home, in Louisville, Ky. The funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon in Corydon, Mrs. Foote's native place, and the burial took place there.

Mrs. Foote had been ill for some time of her death was not unexpected. She is survived by her husband, Rev. Dr. U. G. Foote, pastor of the Chapel Methodist church, South, of Louisville, formerly pastor of the Francis Street Methodist church, South, of St. Joseph, and five children, between the ages of 14 and 2 years. Mrs. Foote was about 40 years old. Rev. Randolph is her only brother, and two sisters lived at Corydon.

Dr. Foote will be well remembered by Maryville people, as he visited Maryville a number of times during his pastorate in St. Joseph and delivered the class address at the Northwest Normal commencement three years ago. On that occasion Mrs. Foote accompanied him to Maryville and they were guests of Dr. and Mrs. H. K. Taylor.

COUNTY UNIT BILL PASSES.

A Two-to-One Vote in the House for the "Dry" Measure.

Jefferson City, Feb. 13.—The county unit local option bill, which may make all of Missouri dry outside of Kansas City, St. Joseph and St. Louis, passed the house yesterday morning by a vote of 90 to 45. It was the biggest victory the anti-liquor men have won in the legislature and they applauded wildly as the result of the vote was announced. The demonstration lasted several minutes.

Little of the excitement that marked the first battle of the "wets" and "drys" last week attended the vote this morning. The bill had been set for special order at 11 o'clock. C. M. Hay of Callaway, the dry leader, called the bill up and made a short appeal for its passage.

On the emergency clause, putting the bill into effect at once, the drys lost. It requires a two-thirds vote, or ninety-six affirmative votes. The drys fell six votes short of this. The bill, if it passes the senate, now will go into effect ninety days after the adjournment of the legislature.

The final passage of the county unit bill by the house now will transfer the wet and dry fight to the senate.

Millionaire Signs Bond of Morrin.

St. Louis, Feb. 13.—Frederick D. Gardner, a St. Louis millionaire, who signed the bond of J. H. Barry, convicted of conspiracy in the alleged McNamara dynamite plot and released from the federal prison at Leavenworth, signed the bond of Paul J. Morrin, another alleged conspirator. Morrin's bond is for $30,000.

Referee Appointed in Star Case.

Jefferson City, Mo., Feb. 13.—The state supreme court appointed Judge Henry C. Timmonds of Kansas City commissioner to take testimony in the contempt proceedings against William D. Nelson, editor and owner of the Kansas City Star. The commissioner is ordered to report within twenty days.

Bill Prevents Party Fusion.

Jefferson City, Feb. 13.—The anti fusion bill, providing that a candidate's name may appear on only one party's ticket, was sent to engrossment by the house. C. M. Hay of Callaway county and J. P. Boyd of Monroe county fought it from start to finish, but lost.

Captain John Bridgewater Is Dead.

Fayetteville, Mo., Feb. 13.—Captain John Bridgewater, a veteran of the civil war, died at his home here of paralysis.

Special Excursion Rates via Wabash.

To Washington, D. C., and return, $38.90; account presidential inauguration ceremonies, March 4, 1913. Tickets on sale February 27, 28, Mar. 1 and 2; final return limit Mar. 10th. Let us provide for your ticket and Pullman reservation.

E. L. FERRITOR, Wabash Agt.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Swinford and children returned to Pickering Wednesday from a visit with Mrs. Swinford's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wilson.

USE HOME GROWN

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if he will he will appear on the program at the short course class on that day.

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Prof. E. A. Trowbridge of the state college at Columbia will arrive in the city Friday morning and is to appear on the program for that day. Mr. Trowbridge is well known to the short coursers here as he was in attendance at the one last year.

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The short course is to close Friday with the banquet in the evening at 6:30 o'clock in the basement of the First M. E. church. While the course has been very successful this year, still not as much so as was hoped for, as the attendance has been only fair, considering the large enrollment. The interest taken by those present was good, but the classes have not been as well attended as those given last year. Efforts are to be made to make the short course week a permanent feature here, and work will start along that line today and Friday.

BASKET BALL BANQUET.

All-Maryville and Second Team Were Selected at Dinner.

All-Maryville Team.

Forwards—Vandersloot (Normal), Eek (Pirates).

Center—Perrin (Normal), Hoffman (Pirates).

Guards—McClintoch (Normal), Seymour (Normal).

Second Team.

Forwards—Daise (Normal), Leech (high school).

Center—Thompson (high school).

Guards—Taylor (Normal), Wilson (high school).

At the basket ball banquet held Wednesday night at the Christian church, the above teams were picked as first and second All-Maryville teams.

For center on the first team, four ballots were taken, all of which resulted in ten votes each for Hoffman and Perrin. After the fourth ballot it was decided that both men should be given the center position.

Prof. L. M. Eek acted as toastmaster, and he had a fine string of stories on tap. V. I. Moore read a financial statement of the city league which showed that the city tournament which terminated recently was a financial success.

Teams from the Normal, high school, Business college and the Pirates made up the league.

TO SUBMIT PLANS.

Engineer Phillips to Make Out a Report and Figures on What Improvement is Necessary.

At the conference on Wednesday between the board of public works and Hiram Phillips, an engineer of St. Louis, Mr. Phillips is to submit to the board the plans of improvement and what machinery is necessary in the water plant, and also about a water tower. The plan will be sent to the board, who will take the matter up with the city council, who will have to ratify the proposition before it is carried out.

The board intends to start soon on the work of improving the plant.

To Cure Cold in One Day

Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25c.—Adv.

Fancy Work

We have just opened up a new shipment of

PILLOW TUBING,
CUSHION TOPS,
GUEST TOWELS, ETC.

These are all new, and we would be glad to show you the different patterns.

HOTCHKIN'S Variety Store

SEEDCORN

I am filling orders for Boone County White and Reid's Yellow Dent seed corn now. I have the good corn and a long list of winnings for this fall and winter. Price $2.25 and $2.50 per bushel. Order now. Don't wait.

M. C. THOMPSON,
One mile north of the K. C. Depot.
Farmers phone 3-11.

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OLD TRUSTY

Strong, Healthy and Hungry.

This is the incubator that hatches 85 per cent of the fertile eggs. We carry in stock the 100, 150 and 200 egg sizes, also the brooders. You can get them from our store set up and in perfect condition, ready for setting, at factory prices and take no risk of their being broken.

SUNNY MONDAY

This is what you may have if you use the Sunshine Rotary Washer. Call and let us tell you why.

Galvanized Tubs, Boilers, Wringers and Ironing Boards. Mrs. Potts Nickel Plated Sad Irons at 75c per set.

We want your hardware business and will endeavor OUR VERY BEST to merit it.

H. C. BOWER, West Side Hardware

The Latest in Spring Styles

Wilson Bros. Shirts

We anticipated an early spring demand of the latest designs and styles in Wilson Bros.' Shirts. They have arrived and you can select from this fine assortment any one you wish for..... **$1.00**
This is an exceptional value.

The "SILVER" BRAND OF SHIRTS are selling at a bargain. Your choice..... **75c**

For a good substantial make of Shirt you cannot beat the "E" Brand, which we are selling for a few days at each..... **50c**

H. & I. and Silver Brand of Linen Collars, which sell the world over, 2 for 25c, we will sell to fit any shirt at **10c** each during the Special Sale only.

NUSBAUM'S

Outfitters for Men and Young Men.

CLOSING OUT SALE

As we are to dissolve partnership, we will sell at the Pat Gorman farm 6 miles east and 4½ miles north of Maryville, and 9 miles southwest of Parnell, and 8 miles northwest of Ravenwood, on

Thursday, February 20

The following property:

25 HEAD OF HORSES, MARES AND MULES—2 horses coming 5 years old, 10 head of horses and mares coming 4 years old, 5 head of horses and mares coming 3 years old, 6 yearling colts and 1 weanling colt, 1 mule coming 5 years old. These horses and mares are all draft bred and are as good quality as can be found in this or any other county. Will be fat and in good shape by sale day.

25 HEAD OF CATTLE—2 extra good milch cows, 1 fresh, other will freshen soon; 9 2-year-old heifers, 14 head of spring calves, good ones.

57 HEAD OF HOGS—22 head of brood sows, 35 head of stock hogs.

TERMS—All sums of $10.00 and under cash, over that amount a credit of 3, 6 or 9 months time on a bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date. Lunch on grounds.

Gorman & McMahon

R. P. Hosmer, Auctioneer.
G. B. Baker, Clerk.

FOR SALE

Everything I Have Got

My beautiful home on South Main street, no better property in Maryville.

Three business houses, first 3 doors south of First National Bank. No better inside rental property.

My barn on East Side of Square, good rental property.

House and lot on East First street, good location.

No agents, no mortgage. See me.

J. A. FORD

HEADACHY, BILIOUS, UPSET? "CASCARETS"

Bilious, Throbbing Headache Means Bowels Are Clogged and Liver Stagnant—You Need Cascarets.

You're bilious, you have a throbbing sensation in your head, a bad taste in your mouth, your eyes burn, your skin is yellow, with dark rings under your eyes; your lips are parched. No wonder you feel ugly, mean and ill-tempered. Your system is full of bile not properly passed off, and what you need is a cleaning up inside. Don't continue being a bilious nuisance to yourself and those who love you, and don't resort to harsh physics that irritate and injure. Remember that most disorders of the stomach, liver and intestines can be quickly cured by morning with gentle, thorough Cascarets—they work while you sleep. A 10-cent box from your druggist will keep your liver and bowels clean; stomach sweet and your head clear for months. Children love to take Cascarets, because they taste good and never gripe or sicken.—Advertisement.

Mrs. C. H. Hudson of Poplar Bluff, Mo., who has been visiting relatives in Worth county, returned to Maryville Wednesday evening for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hunt.

HEARTS and Flowers

The Most Effective Valentine

Beautiful, blooming flowers are far more in keeping with the tender sentiments of St. Valentine's Day than any expression in any other form. Nothing expresses the spirit of the day so perfectly, nothing you can send your sweetheart or wife which will convey tenderness, love and affection so well, for **"Flowers are lovely, love is flowerlike."** Of all the missives she receives throughout the Day none will win her favor so much as Flowers from **Engelmann's.** We offer an especially nice selection of fresh cut violets, sweet peas, lily of the valley, roses, carnations, etc, and beautiful potted plants, all very attractively arranged for St. Valentine's Day at very reasonable prices. Mail orders promptly attended to.

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OIL COMBINE OUSTER UPHELD

State Supreme Court Refuses to Modify Order.

LAMM AND WOODSON DISSENT

Jefferson City, Mo., Feb. 13.—The Missouri supreme court refused to modify the judgment of ouster against the Standard Oil company and the original order ousting the company from the state now stands. The original order was issued more than four years ago.

The opinion of the court was concurred in by five judges, Chief Justice Lamm and Judge Woodson dissenting.

The dissenting judges held that to oust the Standard Oil company from the state would leave the Waters-Pierce Oil company in control of the oil business of Missouri. Henry Clay Pierce, by purchase, recently acquired all the holdings of the Rockefeller interests in the Waters-Pierce company. The dissenting judges recommended that a commission be appointed to take testimony and determine what action should be taken in view of the changed conditions in the oil situation in Missouri.

The ouster judgment was affirmed by the supreme court of the United States. The company paid a fine of $50,000 assessed against it, but asked to be allowed to do business in the state on condition that it comply with the laws.

First Joint Ballot Taken in Illinois.

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 13.—The first joint ballot of the Illinois legislature for the long term senatorship resulted as follows: Sherman (Rep.) 76; Lewis (Dem.), 89; Funk (Prog.), 25; Berlyn (Soc.), 4; necessary to choice, 102.

THIS LADY'S GOOD APPETITE

Mrs. Hansen, In a Letter From Mobile, Tells How She Gained It.

Mobile, Ala.—"I suffered for seven years, with womanly trouble," writes Mrs. Sigurd Hansen in a letter from this city. "I felt weak and always had a headache and was always going to the doctor. At last I was operated on, and felt better, but soon I had the same trouble.

My husband asked me to try Cardui. I felt better after the first bottle, and now, I have a good appetite and sleep well. I feel fine, and the doctor tells me I am looking better than he ever saw me."

If you are sick and miserable, and suffer from any of the pains due to womanly trouble—try Cardui.

Cardui is successful because it is composed of ingredients that have been found to act curatively on the womanly constitution.

For more than fifty years, it has been used by women of all ages, with great success. Try it. Your druggist sells it.

N. B.—*Write to:* Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn., for *Special Instructions*, and 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," sent in plain wrapper, on request.

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First Dose of Pape's Cold Compound Relieves All Misery From a Cold or the Grippe.

It is a positive fact that a dose of Pape's Cold Compound, taken every two hours until three consecutive doses are taken, will end the Grippe and break up the most severe cold, either in the head, chest, back, stomach, limbs or any part of the body.

It promptly relieves the most miserable headache, dullness, head and nose stuffed up, feverishness, sneezing, sore throat, running of the nose, mucous catarrhal discharges, soreness, stiffness and rheumatic twinges.

Take this wonderful Compound as directed, with the knowledge that there is nothing else in the world, which will cure your cold or end Grippe misery as promptly and without any other assistance or bad after-effects as a 25-cent package of Pape's Cold Compound, which any druggist can supply—accept no substitute—contains no quinine. Belongs in every home. Tastes nice—acts gently.—Advertisement.

MT. AYR.

A very pleasant surprise was planned and effectively carried out at the home of Albert Mercer on Thursday evening. A delightful evening was spent with music and games, after which a dainty luncheon was served. Mr. and Mrs. Mercer intend moving to a new location, and the day was also his thirty-second birthday. The following are some of the guests at the party, being in addition to the names used in The Democrat-Forum, the names being omitted from the paper owing to a mistake: Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Carmichael, Mr. and Mrs. Orin Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. L. McGinnis, Mr. and Mrs. G. Bonewitz, Mr. and Mrs. Fisher Mercer, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. John Lynch, Mr. and Mrs. H. Lyon, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schweikhardt, Mrs. Inman, Mrs. S. Mozingo, Mrs. Frank Trusty, Misses Nettie Smock, Opal Vern Wallace, May Smith, Mary Smith, Chloe Dick, Ethel Dick, Lottie Pike, Holen Bonewitz, Mebel Parker, Charlie Parker, Katie Mercer, Edith Irwin, Jesse Fisher, Saime Thompson, Sadie Thompson and Orla Wilcox.

Miss Ora Wilcox spent Sunday the guest of her sister, Mrs. Charles Baker, of Maryville.

Kane Bros., Mr. Henry Heitman and Erb Mozingo all have been having their year's wood sawing done. Bert Hiatt of Maryville is doing the work.

Very sad, indeed, was the sudden illness and death of Edith Conklin, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Will Conklin, who used to reside in this vicinity. We must remember the admonition of the Savior when He said, "Suffer little children to come unto me for of such is the kingdom of heaven."

And again the grim reaper has entered the home of Joseph Williams and taken their little daughter, aged about one year, Thursday, February 6. The funeral was held at St. Mary's church and interment at cemetery south.

Mr. William McComas and wife are here on a visit from Pine Bluff, Wyo.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Rich have arrived from Colorado, having been called by a telegram on account of the illness and death of their little granddaughter, Edith Conklin.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—6,000. Market 10c higher. Estimate tomorrow, 3,000.

Hogs—28,000. Market 5c lower to weak; top, $8.40. Estimate tomorrow, 27,000.

Sheep—18,000. Market strong.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—2,000. Market 10c higher.

Hogs—8,500. Market 5c lower to weak; top, $8.20.

Sheep—9,000. Market strong.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—2,000. Market 10c higher.

Hogs—10,000. Market 5c lower to weak; top, $8.15.

Sheep—6,000. Market strong.

Seed Corn

Reid's Yellow Dent and St. Charles White, $2 per bushel in ear or shelled and graded. Early Northwestern seed oats, recleaned and graded. These oats weigh 40 pounds. Phone No. 162, pink.

S. S. WEBB, Burlington Junction

600 AMERICANS FLEE TO SUBURBS

Ambassador Rents Houses in Outskirts of Mexico City.

TWO WOMEN FROM U. S. PERISH

Mrs. Holmes and Mrs. Griffiths Shot to Pieces in Kitchen—Protest Against Further Use of Artillery Useless—White Flag Fired On.

Mexico City, Feb. 13.—Anticipating an early resumption of hostilities, more than 600 Americans fled from their homes to temporary abodes in the outskirts of the city, where the danger from the fire will be minimized. Ambassador Wilson, on information from the national palace, knew that the government planned a crushing blow and rented numerous houses, to which under flag of truce agents of the embassy hurried in automobiles as many women and children as would agree to be transported.

The casualties are estimated at not less than 300 dead and 1,500 wounded in the two days' fighting.

Mexico City, Feb. 13.—During the height of the fighting in Mexico City Mrs. H. W. Holmes, the wife of an employee of Dun's agency, was killed, and Mrs. Percy Griffiths, the wife of an employee of the street railway company, was mortally wounded, both of her legs being shot off. Allie Bland, a printer, was shot through the arm. Mrs. Griffiths died soon afterward.

Mrs. Holmes and Mrs. Griffiths were preparing dinner in their kitchens in an apartment building close to the arsenal when a shell from the federal lines burst through the walls, instantly killing Mrs. Holmes and leaving Mrs. Griffiths in a dying condition.

Bland was walking along Independencia avenue when he was struck by a rifle ball from the federal lines.

From early morning the sharp crack of the rifles or the crash of cannon could be heard in some quarter of the city almost every minute of the day, sometimes close, sometimes far distant. The diplomatic representatives of four powers protested, and an armistice was arranged so that an envoy from these diplomats could enter the rebel lines and confer with Diaz.

White Flag Fired Upon.

This envoy was fired on by the troops, although under a white flag, but this was doubtless due to the inability of the federal commander to control all points of his lines.

The American ambassador, Henry Lane Wilson; the British minister, F. W. Stronge; the German minister, Herr von Hintze, and the Spanish minister, Senor Cologan, called at the national palace in a lull in the fire shortly before noon. After a brief conference with President Madero they had little difficulty in gaining his promise to suspend operations until the diplomats or their representative could confer with the rebel commander if Diaz would do likewise.

D. E. Hamer was chosen to carry the message of protest to Diaz. He entered an automobile, which, with a white flag flying, moved through the federal lines. It was supposed the troops had been advised of his mission, but the automobile instantly was made the target for numerous rifles, and bullets rattled about it. It continued on its way, however, the diplomatic envoy being unhurt.

Business District Shelled.

The bombardment reached a climax when Diaz shelled the very center of the business district in an effort to silence the cannon of the government and drive from the roofs of the Taylor building the federal sharpshooters and the men serving the machine guns.

This terrific action, directed from the arsenal, continued for more than two hours. Shrapnel fell like hail and occasionally bursting shells tore holes in the sides of buildings.

Meanwhile the fire from the opposite direction rendered the far out residence district uninhabitable, as well as the big apartment building known as Gore court, on Roma street.

The federal guns replied occasionally, but without serious damage to the rebel positions. It was this action which decided the diplomats, after communicating with their governments, to protest against the continuation of such operations, which they characterized as unsanctioned by the laws of warfare of civilized nations.

The protest of the diplomats took the form of a demand that the firing zone should be limited, but it accomplished nothing. Both Madero and Diaz evaded responsibility, each placing the blame on the other and characterizing the attitude of the opposing side as barbarous and in violation of the rules of civilized warfare.

The text of a notification sent by the Mexican minister of war to General Felix Diaz follows:

"The artillery fire coming from you is causing danger to the life and interests of non-combatants and to the lives of the foreign residents and diplomatic ministers. As this is in flagrant violation of the laws of war of civilized nations, I notify you that if you do not limit your fire to the zone of combatants we will consider outside the law all those who occupy the arsenal when that position is taken by our forces."

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